

## LIONS BOOST FLOOD RELIEF FUND WITH \$750



Newmarket Lions club president, Stan Smith, yesterday handed over a cheque for \$750 to the town flood relief committee chairman, Councillor Robert McGuire. The Lions club held a special executive meeting Monday night and decided to give \$750 towards the flood relief fund to help in the devastated areas overseas. The Lions donation gives a good start to the fund in Newmarket. Left to right are the flood relief committee chairman, Mr. McGuire; Lions secretary, Tom Doyle; Lions president, Stan Smith and the town clerk, Wesley Brooks, who is treasurer of the town committee. Era and Express photo

## LOCAL CO-OP DOES \$400,000 TURNOVER

Newmarket District Co-op. has had a record year, showing a turnover of approximately \$400,000.00, under the management of Bruce McClymont, manager and Jos. Hall mill foreman.

At the annual meeting last week, six percent patronage deferred dividend on the year's purchases was declared by the members.

Alf Walberg of United Co-operatives, head of the Premix Division, Guelph, Peterboro and Kempsville, spoke on feed and feeding problems.

Members all agreed that it pays dividends to be a member of the local Co-op.

Directors for the year 1953, are as follows: Pres., Allan Baisdon, Sharon; Vice Pres., Jas. Faris, Newmarket; sec., Sheldon Walker, Sharon; Robert Lewis, Newmarket; Wm. Williams, King; Wm. Walker, Bogartown; F. Williams, Bogartown.

### ELECTED

Lorenzo Big Canoe, as chief, and Les McCue and Clarence Portie, as councillors, were returned to office by acclamation at the nomination meeting held at the Georgina Island community hall on Monday, Feb. 9.

About 30 women, given their franchise to vote by an amendment to the Indian Act in 1952, will not have the opportunity to cast their first ballot until at least 1956, as the legal length of time between elections is now three years.

# Newmarket, District Rally To Support Flooded Areas

## Flood Relief Donations

Contributions which have been sent in to Wesley Brooks, treasurer of the overseas flood relief fund, to date, are listed as follows:

B. W. Hunter	\$ 5.00
F. Dennis	2.00
Reading Club	10.00
Mrs. E. L. Bonnick	5.00
Mrs. Geo. Myers	50.00
Mr. W. J. Patterson	5.00
Lions Club	750.00
Alex Rutledge	10.00
Grant Sine	5.00
George Harry West	40.00
	<b>\$882.00</b>

## IMMUNIZATION AT HEALTH UNIT FOR NEXT FOUR MONTHS

Immunization will again be offered at the Child Health Centre in Newmarket for infants and pre-school children, during February, March, April and May. The Child Health Centre, sponsored by the Women's Institute in conjunction with the York County Health Unit, is held the last Friday of every month throughout the year in the York County Health Unit office. The next clinic is February 27, 1.30 to 4.00 p.m.

Protection is offered against Diphtheria, Whooping Cough, tetanus (Lockjaw) and Smallpox. Booster doses for those previously immunized prevents fading of immunity.

Diphtheria has become less common, and some parents do not see the need for protection. This conclusion is wrong. The fact that Diphtheria still occurs, seems to indicate that full advantage of known protection measures are not being taken.

Smallpox still occurs and with rapid travel by airplane between many countries, it is still possible for Smallpox to become a community problem. Immunization by vaccination is a sure preventive of Smallpox. Vaccination should be repeated about every 5 years, just in case immunity had faded.

At the Child Health Centre, the mother discusses such problems as nutrition, growth and development and behaviour problems with the Public Health Nurse. Everyone is welcome.

## COMING EVENTS

AT INSLEY'S store "Bond's" Bonus sale men's suits. Extra trousers free. Women get a free skirt. c3w2

FRIDAY, FEB. 13 — Dance in Holland Landing Community hall, at 8 p.m. George Mitchell's orchestra. Everybody welcome. Admission 50c. c1w7

FRIDAY, FEB. 13 — Valentine tea and bake sale, 3 to 5 p.m., sponsored by W.A.C. Trinity United church. Proceeds for Newmarket Relief fund. c2w6

FRIDAY, FEB. 13 — Bridge and Euchre, Firehall auditorium, 8 p.m., sponsored by Newmarket Business and Professional Women's club. Prizes, refreshments; admission, 50 cents. Euchre, progressive. Bring own partner for bridge. Proceeds for Newmarket Relief fund. c2w6

SATURDAY, FEB. 14 — St. John's bingo, in the Town Hall, at 8.30 p.m. Jackpot \$225. 15 games 25c. 1 special game. c1w7

MONDAY, FEB. 16 — The Newmarket Nursery school will open in the Firehall auditorium at 1.30 p.m. Pupils may be enrolled on this day. c2w6

TUESDAY, FEB. 17 — Euchre in Sharon hall, sponsored by Union Street W.I. at 8.15 p.m. Suitable prizes and lunch. Admission 35c. c1w7

TUESDAY, FEB. 17 — Annual Pancake supper, on Shrove Tuesday, under the auspices of the W.A. of All Saints' Anglican church, King City, in the church rooms, 5.30 to 7.30 p.m. c1w7

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 18 — Special general meeting of District No. 7, Milk Producers' Association, in Church Hill Community hall, at 10.30 a.m. Free lunch. Monies, reports on annual meeting. Special speaker from the Milk Drivers' Union A.F.L. c1w7

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 18 — Minstrel show, sponsored by the Newmarket Opti-Mrs. Club, in the Town hall, at 8.15 p.m. Ad-

## Newmarket Organizations Plan Fund Raising Events

The entire district is rallying to the aid of distressed citizens of England and the low countries which have been hit by the worst storms and floods in history. In Newmarket, Bradford and Aurora, relief committees have been organized and funds have been started to raise money to help the stricken people in the homelands.

In Newmarket, a special committee was appointed by town council a week ago Monday to help organize a relief fund. The town clerk was to accept any contributions immediately and the facilities of the town were offered for any organizations which wanted to sponsor fund raising activities. The special committee of the town includes Robert McGuire, Edward Wrightman and Joseph Daley.

Last Friday night, the town committee held a meeting in the Newmarket town hall and representatives attended from 12 different organizations. Other interested citizens of the district also attended. The purpose of the meeting was to interest organizations to raise money in their own particular ways.

The Opti-Mrs. club, ladies' auxiliary of the Optimists, already have a project under way. They are sponsoring a Minstrel Show on Feb. 18 in the town hall. Talent from Toronto has offered services to help the fund campaign.

A representative from the Newmarket high school student body reported that the students are considering sponsoring a gymnastic display, dance and other projects to raise funds. They have set a temporary objective of \$400. Up to today, students have already raised \$225.

Mrs. H. H. Mosey said that Mr. John Vickers, a popular tenor of radio fame, Toronto, has offered his services for Newmarket if a suitable date can be arranged.

The representative from the Home and School Association said that the association would take up at its next executive meeting on Feb. 10, the planning of a concert to raise funds. The Business and Professional Women's Club is holding a euchre on Feb. 13 for the fund. The Women's Auxiliary of Trinity United church, Newmarket is holding a Valentine tea tomorrow, Feb. 13, for the fund.

Councillor Edward Wrightman said that William Geer, president of the Newmarket Arena Com-

## Marsh Aims At \$100,000 For Flood Fund

The Holland Marsh branch of the Netherlands flood relief fund has set its objective at \$100,000. Last Thursday a committee was set up and in the first day, it had \$1,875. The residents of the district have contributed thousands of dollars since that time and by early indications, it is possible that the committee will go over the objective.

George Horlings was named chairman of the committee; John VanDyke, secretary; Elise Ble-mold, treasurer, with other members, Jack Van Luyk, Art Van Dyke, Anthony De Winter, Walter Horlings and Harry Kerkalk.

Mrs. S. S. McKenzie of the Bradford Witness was named to the committee as publicity member. The Bradford Witness published a small flood relief edition pamphlet on Thursday and circulated it through the area.

All canvassers authorized to canvas for the Netherlands flood relief fund are carrying signed identification cards and will give signed receipts.

It was agreed by the Marsh committee that by far the greater portion of Canada would be supporting general relief and as the Marsh is one of the few Canadian Dutch settlements of any size, its project would be the Netherlands flood relief fund. However, canvassers will accept for the general relief fund and give receipts if anyone wishes to give to the general fund.

### IN PETERBOROUGH

Mr. Vic Higginson, Newmarket, of Morrison's Sporting Goods department, is taking a refresher course in new model outboard motors at the Evinrude Marine division at the Evinrude motor plant, Peterborough.

## Here And There Around Town

### By Local Observer

Unexpected company often presents a problem to a busy homemaker. Last week's social and personal news didn't tell of one uninvited guest's visit to a Newmarket residence but he made his presence known in other ways. Seems that people get wind of his being in town.

On this particular occasion, Mr. Skunk, for that was the visitor, prepared to make a prolonged visit in this house. Before long no one was unaware of his presence. Like Mary's little lamb, he followed the young miss of the household to school. Oh, the odor.

When you have someone drop in unexpectedly, don't complain. Next time it might be Mr. Skunk's cousin.

An appeal for used cotton, linen and flannelette, such as is found in old sheets, pillow cases or diapers, is being made on behalf of the Cancer society. In Newmarket, the York County Hospital Women's auxiliary is assisting in the work. A box is being placed at the Women's Institute Rest Room, Botsford St., where contributions of material may be left daily. The demand for such materials, to be used in the making of dressings for cancer patients is urgent.

"Say it with flowers", is a slogan often employed in florists' advertisements. Local observer is beginning to think that many Newmarket organizations have adopted it as their motto. "What

could be nicer than a little potted plant?" asked Lions club members when thinking of some appropriate small gift to make to the chairmen of the public, separate and high school boards and other guests at the education night meeting of the club on Monday night. "Flowers say it so well," they all agreed. When the night arrived, the plants were presented and to date Local Observer has not heard of one of these potted plants being returned.

Is Friday, the 13th, your lucky day? For some English and Dutch families, victims of the recent floods, it can be. Tomorrow is the date set for the first two local undertakings to raise funds for the Newmarket and District Flood Relief fund.

In the afternoon, a ten and bake sale by Trinity United W. A. will be held from 3 to 5 p.m. The firehall auditorium in the evening will be the scene of a bridge and euchre party under the auspices of the Newmarket B. and P. club. Proceeds from both events will go to help the flood victims in Holland and England.

The story was passed along to us of the protective six-year-old whose very new baby brother was being examined by other school friends. "Poking a finger here and there in their curiosity, they aroused the sister's indignation. "Be careful, Don't forget, he's a human bean," she warned.

## "HIGH SCHOOL NEWS"

## Already, \$225 For Fund,

## Students' Objective \$400

"Let us forget" is the High school students' slogan in their campaign for money for the British and Netherlands Flood Victims' Fund. This project is away to an excellent start under the direction of the Students' Council. The students' objective is \$400 and at the close of school on Wednesday, \$225 had been received.

Next week the school is sponsoring a number of features in the sports and literary fields. A nominal fee will be charged at these events. Parents are invited to come and see their children in action; the entire proceeds will be turned over to the fund. The week of March 1st to 8th, will be Open market high school friends are date for the school. On the 1st, the school is sponsoring a number of features in the sports and literary fields. A nominal fee will be charged at these events. Parents are invited to come and see their children in action.

## Brown Hill School Destroyed by Fire Sat.

Fire completely destroyed the Brown Hill school house last Saturday. Residents were aroused about 4.45 a.m. by Mrs. E. Nickols, who spread the news that the school house was on fire. The Mount Albert fire department was summoned immediately, but arrived too late to save the building.

Firemen prevented the blaze from spreading to nearby cottages, in one of which Mrs. Maude Leitch was confined to bed with a stroke.

Among the losses sustained in the school were boys' skates, new hockey clothing and pupils' stationery, in addition to the school records and treasures.

The school will re-open in a few days' time, under the supervision of its teacher, Mr. T. A. Courneyea, in the Free Methodist church, by kind permission of the minister, Rev. Casement. It is planned to build a new school at the earliest possible date. The cause of the fire is unknown.

Brown Hill first school was held in the home of its teacher, Mrs. Abigail Pryderman, about 1880, and the school house itself was built in the year 1881.

### SURPRISE COUPLE

A surprise party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Metcalfe at their new home on Davis Dr., by the sewing club, on Monday evening. They presented them with a scatter rug and kitchen plaque. After an enjoyable evening refreshments were served.

## NORTH GWILLIMBURY CHANGES DAY AND TIME FOR VOTING

J. V. Sinclair's request, on behalf of the North Gwillimbury Beaches Association, for a change of the day for Township voting, has been granted and the township council has passed a resolution to "authorize the clerk to introduce a by-law setting the date of nomination to be held on the first Saturday after the 14th day of November and that the election be held (on a Saturday) two weeks from that date from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m."

### TRADE FAIR MEETING

All merchants who are interested in the Trade Fair are asked to meet at the agricultural board rooms, Botsford St., at 7.30 on Tuesday, Feb. 17. Charles E. Boyd, 1953 Trade Fair chairman, has said that the committee for the coming year will be set up at this meeting.

### TO SPEAK TO W.I.

Miss McKerech, senior home economist, Inspection and Consumer Service, Department of Fisheries, Ottawa, will be the guest speaker at a meeting of the Newmarket Women's Institute on Thursday, Feb. 19 at 2.30 p.m. Miss McKerech's topic will be "Fish Is Fine Food". She will illustrate her talk with slides. This program is in place of the one announced in W.I. News in page 8.

## Lake Simcoe Shoreline Properties Dispute Goes Far In History

The North Gwillimbury road question is awaiting the decision of the "master of titles" about an easement requested by J. Dumaresq Smith, Roches Point, in regard to lots 23 and 24, concession two of the township.

Mr. Smith's interest is in land which is believed to be the western end of the "Smalley Survey" of 1835. The decision may determine what is to become of the entire lakeshore road survey which stretches from this property at Roches Point to Georgina township.

It is believed that the decision could determine policy along lakeshore properties and many beaches would be declared public property and open to summer tourists. Property owners along the lakeshore are awaiting the decision. They feel that if the south end of the survey is made private, they can keep frontage beaches private or visa versa.

After the creation of the County of York in 1792, the township was governed by the Quarter Sessions. In 1850 it became a municipal body corporate, to provide services of common interest to local townships, villages and towns which sent representatives to sit on county council.

It was the original Quarter Session government which ordered and paid for the "Smalley Survey". The road was considered to be the first "provincial" highway in the district. In 1788 the Mississauga Indians were out, armed with gun and bow, to dispute with the surveyors, the western limit of the sale they had made of the County of York to the Crown. Now, 165 years later, other residents are out, armed with deeds and patents, disputing the western limit of the "Smalley Survey" in the same county.

What upset the "apple-cart" is the township by-law No. 500, drawn up in a pre-election month which says that "by such a good and sufficient deed of bargain and sale as this council has power to grant", lands on the survey were changed. The roadway was changed at Roche's Pt. and part of the old roadway as surveyed was no longer a road. It became to all appearances, part of summer estates.

The question is whether the by-law was legal, whether it could be passed in spite of the Quarter Sessions' original survey. The community planning board of Canada which met in 1948 presented recommendations for possible Lake Simcoe shoreline park sites, indicated their belief in the validity of the "Smalley Survey" by printing on a presentation, the following:

"These properties could be developed into an excellent park as they are now serviced by rail and highway. Between the township park and Jackson's Point, there is over four miles of public beach, because the lakeshore road was laid out by the Quarter Sessions board of 1835 and along the lake, is a 66 foot width of road, (taking in the beach); very little of this beach has been privately protected by patents or licences of occupation."

Warrendale also pays full taxes on its additional house and property at 1 Robert St., Newmarket. The house is not being used for the institution. It has been pointed out that people living outside of town and who own property in town, can send children to schools without paying non-resident fees. It would appear that Warrendale could be under this classification as well.

## MILK PRODUCERS TO HEAR LABOR SPEAKER FEB. 18

A daytime meeting of District No. 7, Toronto Milk Producers' Association, will be held in Church Hill Community Hall on Wednesday, Feb. 18, at 10.30 a.m.

Shippers will hear reports from delegates of annual meetings, have a free lunch, see a short movie program and as a special feature, hear Mr. Buchanan, business manager of the Milk Drivers' Union, A.F.L.

This is a new arrangement for this district, designed to bring out a larger crowd and give more time for reports and discussions. Fraser Sutherland, Stroud, is district president and will be in the chair. Individual notices of this meeting will be mailed to all shippers.

## MRS. WARD WRITES LETTER

## Shows Good Faith, Pays School Tax

At a meeting of the Newmarket public school board two weeks ago, Mrs. F. Arnold Ward, president of Warrendale, a specialized centre for adolescent girls at 60 Millard Ave., Newmarket, spoke in the absence of reporters.

Two members of the board refused to stay at the meeting with the press attending. Reporters left the meeting so that it could carry on with all members present. However, the two trustees did not stay at the meeting.

This week the Board of St. Faith's Lodge, which is responsible for Warrendale, sent a cheque to the town treasurer to cover the balance of the 1952 school tax and approximately half of what it expects to pay in 1953.

A letter from Mrs. Ward to the Era and Express explains why the board is paying the school tax. Mrs. Ward also tells about Warrendale and this is being published this week, as Mrs. Ward could not be reported at the school board meeting two weeks ago.

In her letter, Mrs. Ward says: "Our board purchased its property at 60 Millard Avenue in good faith, having been assured that the girls in our care would be able to attend school locally. We are buying most of our food, drug and clothing supplies in Newmarket, and are spending monthly a considerable amount of money in the town. "Our operation of Warrendale,

our house, our staff, our whole policy is being studied with great interest by a large number of people in Ontario as well as elsewhere. Already there have been visitors to Newmarket to see Warrendale from Ottawa, Kingston, Hamilton, Windsor, Newfoundland, Nova Scotia and Brazil, all of whom were very favorably impressed with the work being done there.

"They are all watching Warrendale with warm concern because they know how badly needed and how valuable such homes or institutions are in any community. We feel the people of Newmarket ought to be proud that they have the opportunity to share in the development of such an interesting project for its success does not depend only on the staff, or the board or the girls, but on the town as well.

"No institution operating under the Charitable Institutions' Act in Ontario pays to send its children to the local schools; but aware that Warrendale was now to Newmarket our board has voluntarily offered to be school supporters through paying what would normally be their share of the school tax. Thus the school board is losing no revenue, although we have the right to be tax-free under the statutes of Ontario. We paid full taxes on our property for half of 1952 before requesting tax exemption.

"To show our good faith we have forwarded a cheque to the town treasurer to cover the balance of our 1952 school tax and approximately one-half of what

we expect to pay in school taxes in 1953. We are prepared to pay the balance for 1953 as soon as the mill rate is determined."

Chapter 24 of the revised statutes of Ontario, 1950, states under the heading of exemptions, that "all real property in Ontario shall be liable to taxation subject to the following exemptions: "Every industrial farm, house of industry, house of refuge, institution for the reformation of offenders or for the care of children, boys' and girls' home, or other similar institution conducted on philanthropic principles and not for the purpose of profit or gain, but only when the land is owned by the institution and occupied and used for the purpose of the institution."

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Members of the Newmarket public school board have been insisting that Warrendale should pay non-resident fee for each student which would amount to considerable more money than the school taxes.





## THE EDITORIAL PAGE

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THURSDAY, THE TWELFTH DAY OF FEBRUARY, NINETEEN HUNDRED AND FIFTY-THREE

### WHO MAKES THE NEWS?

One of the two women on the Newmarket public school board criticized this newspaper for the "publicity" it had given the board during its recent difficulties. There was a suggestion made that because of the newspaper, the town was acquiring a bad name. The trustee said that she was not harmed personally by the publicity but that the school children of Newmarket were being harmed. She said that the board tries to "draw good teachers to Newmarket" and asked what outside teachers must think when they read about the board.

There is no need to draw up a defence against questionable logic. Since there is a lack of logic, a logical defence would be wasted effort. But the situation provides an opportunity to state a few facts and opinions about what a newspaper should be doing. First of all, a newspaper does not go out and make the news. It reports about people, organizations, governments and their activities which make the news. The activities of elected bodies make important news in everything they do, since their actions usually affect their electors to varying degrees. It is important that a newspaper has a responsibility or conscience. In our opinion, it has a responsibility to mirror all activities in the community and thereby serve.

Recent strife on the school board has created news. The members themselves have made the news. The question of school fees or taxes involving a charitable institution in the community merely shows the surface of the trouble on the school board. As we have said before, the board is in an unhealthy state. Now members are turning on each other viciously and personal attacks, which hardly seem to belong to a supposedly public spirited group of elected representatives, have turned school board affairs into a disgrace.

A newspaper certainly would not be living up to its responsibility as a servant to a community if it went blind to these conditions. It is the paper's duty to report the news, particularly of elected bodies.

The trustee suggested that the school children are being harmed by the recent publicity. We have given our opinion that the people should know about the board's activities and in carrying out our responsibility the result has been what the trustee calls "publicity". If the publicity is harmful to the school children, it is our opinion that the trustee is making an obvious admission that the board's activities are harmful to the children of Newmarket. We heartily agree.

If teachers in other communities decide that they do not like the Newmarket school board, it is certainly to their credit. They would be showing good judgment. Newmarket wants good teachers but for staff replacement, it is doubtful that the good teachers will be clamoring for positions here until there is peace, harmony and co-operation on the board.

### A FORCE OF GOOD

The disastrous floods in Europe and England have caused floods on this side of the Atlantic, floods of generosity from the hearts of people, which have needed no stimulation other than the sympathy and love for fellow man.

Individual acts of charity may be questioned. The motives behind giving can be associated with a personal search for praise, publicity and social success. These false motives are common in modern society. But it is heart warming and moving to realize that the recent surge of generosity which arose immediately, is a genuine expression.

Hate and war are burdening the minds of people in these times. Indications of a powerful force of good among the thousands is almost a new and refreshing concept. A great response has come from Newmarket and surrounding district, particularly from the Holland Marsh and Bradford area.

The Holland Marsh people are pouring thousands of dollars into the support of their relief fund. The hard working people of the Marsh farmlands are practically putting a 100 percent effort into the relief work and many individuals are giving up their savings in an impressive humanitarian gesture. The impression the Marsh citizens leave with us is that those uninhibited people who toil the hardest, give the most.

### RED CROSS ASSISTANCE

Offers of assistance were sent to England and the continent by wire from the national office of the Canadian Red Cross Society as soon as news of the flood was heard. Over 250 cases of Canadian Red Cross

Society supplies, which were stored in the League of Red Cross Society's warehouses in Geneva, have been transferred to the flooded areas. The supplies consist of clothing, bedding, rubber boots and flashlights.

It is gratifying to know that Canadian Red Cross has been able to ship to stricken areas, supplies made by Canadians which were stored in Geneva for such emergencies. This has been made possible by the year round effort of women volunteers in Red Cross work-rooms such as in Newmarket.

The national office is in close contact with officials overseas to give any help during the present emergency. The British Red Cross is taking care of its own needs for the present time, according to recent word and all Canadian help will go to Holland. Supplies are being sent by T.C.A. and K.L.M., the Royal Dutch Airways, free of charge. At the present time, priority is being given to blankets, sheets, pillow cases and quilts.

### ESSENTIAL TO THE ECONOMY

The dairy farmers are of the opinion that dairying is everybody's business and at the convention of the dairy farmers of Canada in Vancouver, recently, the decision was made to urge governments in the provinces to protect their industry against imports of vegetable oils. This week the columnist "Dairy Farmer" gives his opinions on the banning imports of vegetable oils from the United States.

The farmers argue that the dairy industry is basically essential to the Canadian economy and the health of our people. It provides more than 2,250,000 Canadians with all or part of their livelihood. It provides greater stability to agriculture than any other type of farm enterprise; and agriculture, despite present industrial expansion, is still the foundation of the Canadian economy.

It conserves the top six inches of our soil upon which we depend for our very existence. Its products supply one third of the food nutrients for only 20 percent of the consumers' food dollar. It ranks among Canada's top industries, contributing more than \$750,000,000 annually to our national commerce.

It is perfectly reasonable to say that this important national industry should receive the same protection as other industries such as the automobile industry. If we could buy American automobiles at the American price, there would hardly be any Canadian automobile industry. The industry is protected; dairy farming has as much right to the same protection.

### THEIR OWN MASTERS

The following editorial from the Barrie Examiner is of interest at a time when the town council and public school board are preparing their budgets, which will be determining the tax rate for 1953:

The Orillia Packet and Times has noted that a recent supreme court ruling, which, in effect, reaffirms that a school board is not answerable to municipal councils but to their constituents, is worthy of more than passing interest on the part of all taxpayers.

The ruling resulted when the city of Port Arthur deducted a sum of \$57,000 from the school board estimates when striking its 1952 tax rate. The school board appealed to have the amount restored to its budget and the matter was finally settled recently when Mr. Justice Judson ordered the city to pay the amount to the Board of Education.

Barrie would do well to note the ruling and consider its implications. The judgment does not introduce anything new and merely what has been general practice in the past. But it is in this practice that the importance of the matter lies.

There have not been any serious disputes here for a number of years between the municipal council and the town or district school boards. On occasions Council has sent back the estimates of the school boards, asking that they be reviewed in an effort to reduce them and so help to keep down the municipal tax rate. But that is as far as a council can go. The school boards are not obliged to reduce their budgets, although out of courtesy and a desire to co-operate as fully as possible, every effort is usually made to cut unnecessary spending.

We do not suggest that either board is or has been extravagant with tax money in the past. But we do suggest that it would be wise for citizens who are paying for education to take more interest in school board matters. It gains little to cut a couple of hundred dollars off some hard-pressed town department if the school boards spend thousands unnecessarily.

## Office Cat Reports Catnips By Ginger

As you 11 followers of my column probably noticed last week, we were absent. We were forced to drop our regular donation of pearls to this newspaper for a week while Slim and I were preparing to attend the Good Roads Convention, now going on at the Royle Yark this week.

I and Slim and Col. Holland Rivers, reeve of Thimbleberry township, have been attending the convention on a very important matter, namely the disappearance of a good road in the township of Thimbleberry. It is a touchy problem in Thimbleberry and up around Cuttin Corners.

The whole thing is a dark mystery. The road has completely disappeared. "How can we legally represent ourselves at the Good Roads Convention when we are short on a road?" Slim pointed out.

That's the whole point," said Col. Holland Rivers. "I am going to tell the Good Roads people that this road must be found. I owe it to the

electors. What good is a road if it isn't around?"

"You've got a good point there," said Slim.

It appears that once upon a time there was a good road in Thimbleberry township. It was back in the days when the township was virgin country. One day a man named Littleby surveyed the road out so that the local settlers could haul the root pulp of the thimble bush to the local distillation mill. The extract was used in the manufacture of Dr. Pink's hand lotion compound.

"Our records don't show where this road disappeared to," said Col. Rivers. "All we got is a copy of the Littleby Survey. The electors want their road back and that is exactly what I am going to," he said.

Going to what," asked Slim.

"Going to get it back."

It is with keen interest that we are watching this hunt for the lost road of Thimbleberry township. It is a very complicated affair and has both legal and supernatural significance.

## The Top Six Inches by "Dairy Farmer"

If the first six weeks of 1953 are any indication, this year promises to be an improvement on 1952. In all fairness we should admit that such steps as the sale of the surplus cheese and bacon is a step in the right direction. Especially the latter, where the government took the realistic view of things and included in the price of bacon, the amount that canning or storing of any surplus would have cost us, as a subsidy towards the price paid by the U.K. This resulted in a much larger quantity going overseas than it would have otherwise.

We should also count as a promise of better things to come the start of marketing hogs by a marketing agency. It is much too early to tell what success it will have in the long run but for the time being it is keeping hog prices above the floor price and we know that some hogs were sent to Montreal at a time when hogs were much higher there than here.

This was made possible, of course, by having the hogs to dispose of, instead of the old system where the packing houses received the hogs directly from the truck and the few going to the stockyards made too small a volume to alter the price. And please note also that cheques in this area come back without exchange taken from them.

We hope that the marketing agency will introduce some semblance of stability in the hog business and let us hope that last fall's much too premature announcement of the drop in floor price didn't damage the business beyond repair. We are not too sure.

Other things we look forward to are, of course, the lifting of the embargo in a few weeks' time. We doubt that any great amount of cattle will cross the border immediately and we suspect that the present depression in beef prices is a sign of our market adjusting itself to the markets and prices across the line. As far as export of cows and heifers for milk is concerned, there won't be much difference until fall, at least that is the way we are guessing it.

The one dark cloud on the horizon is still the question of the price of a brick of ice cream or a pound of cheese or a pound of butter, for what it offers in food value, is reasonable and fair to the buyer. A brick of ice cream, nutritious and a good dessert for three to four people, is the cheapest dessert a housewife can buy. The man engaged in dairying has fulfilled his part in the economy. Is he not entitled to some degree of protection?

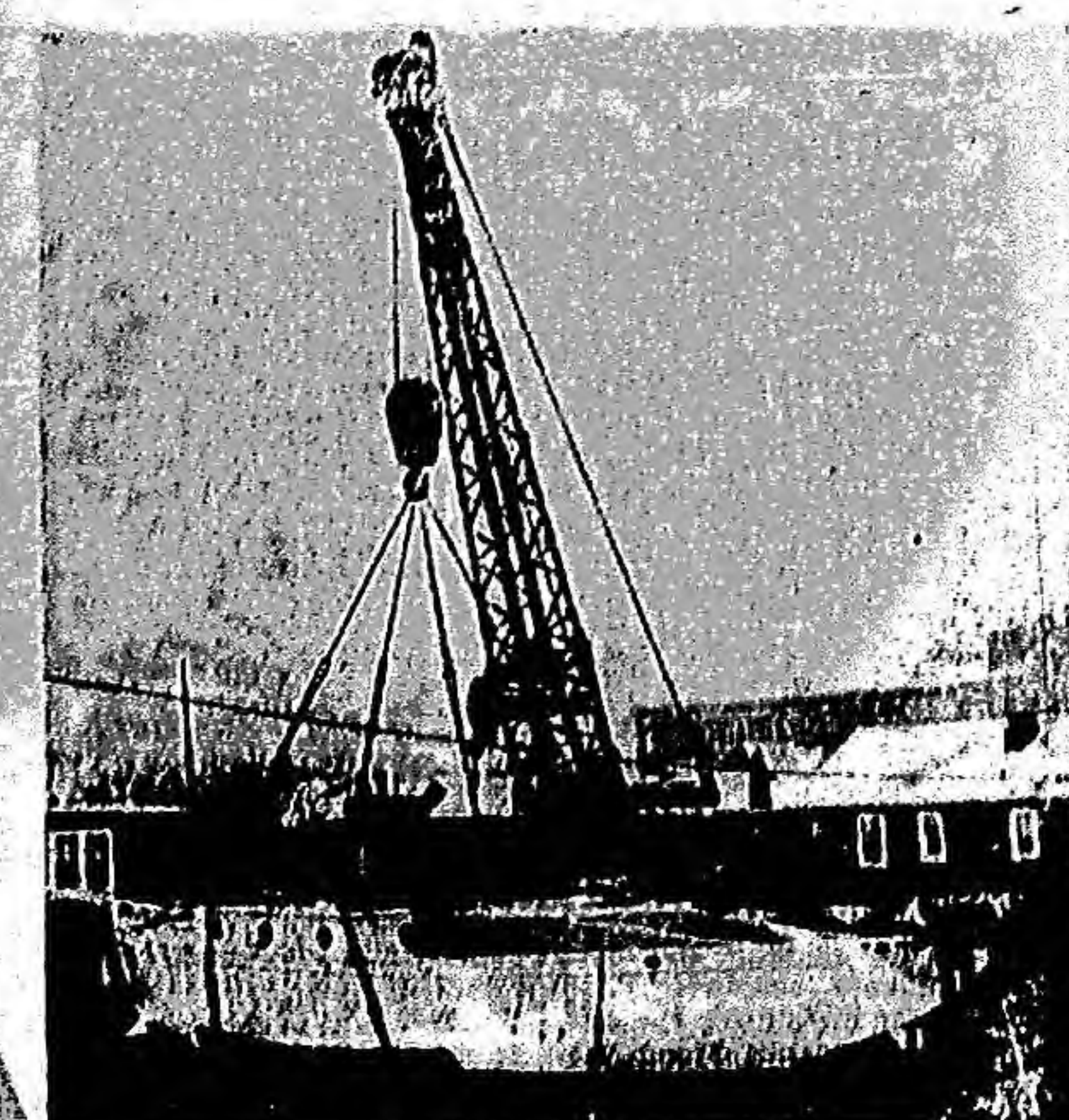
This is the main issue. We have done our job; we have done it for years. Are we to be sacrificed for 10 cents a pound? If we are, this country will find that 10 cents saved today will cost them many dollars in a few years' time, in health, in fertility and in unemployment relief.

### GIRL HOPES SURGERY WILL EXTEND HER LIFE



Five-year-old Susan Sutherland is greeted by nurse Pat Heath following her arrival at Hospital for Sick Children in Toronto from her home in Edmonton. The youngster, who has a one-half-inch hole in a partition of her heart, will undergo an operation, which may lengthen her life for a good number of years. Her mother, Mrs. George Sutherland, wife of a school teacher, says Susan suffers no pain from her heart condition, but has always been susceptible to illness because of it. The youngster spends from October to April in bed suffering from cold, measles or other illness. Last fall she had an attack of chickenpox and just about died. "After that episode," said Mrs. Sutherland, "we decided something would have to be done, hence the trip to Toronto."

### RCN VET BUILDS SCHOONER IN BACKYARD



The dream of a lifetime was realized by John Lancaster and family recently when his 42-foot home-made schooner reached completion in his Toronto backyard workshop. It took the RCN vet and his family and friends three years to build the two-masted vessel at a cost of \$10,000 and years of sacrifice. Although outfitted for the open sea, the schooner will ply the more placid waters of Lake Ontario this summer. But in the years to come, Lancaster, father of two, plans to complete his boyhood dreams by sailing the West Indies and South Seas.

**The state is the servant, not the master, of the people; the state is their guarantee against infringement on their rights, their agent in international and national issues; it is not the function of the state to assume the direction of those activities which rest on individual choice.**



## Ottawa Letter

A weekly letter from the member of parliament for York North.

Hon. Douglas Abbott, Minister of Finance, announced in the House this week that the annual budget will be brought down next Thursday evening, February 19. This is always one of the most important events in the life of a Parliamentary session but there is particular interest in this year's budget because of the prospect of substantial tax reductions.

The contents of the budget are necessarily, closely guarded secrets and the utmost precautions are taken to prevent any possibility of its contents being learned by any one prior to presentation in the House of Commons. In the weeks preceding budget day, private members make representations to the minister and likewise representative organizations and industries and associations present briefs on items of particular interest to them. So budget night, we all sit anxiously in the hope that briefs and representations are found favor with the minister and that the policy for the coming year will include our suggestions and recommendations.

As we pointed out, nothing authoritative can be said on the budget previous to its presentation but we all can and do indulge in speculation. We think it is a pretty safe assumption that there will be a substantial reduction in income tax, particularly as it affects the lower income brackets. We expect also a lowering in the excise tax on alcohol and cigarettes and the slashing of the nuisance radio which I have advocated for many years. The tax reductions we hope for will be the result of the increased productivity of the nation and if they are not large as we would like, it will be because of the continuing heavy cost of our defence preparations.

We are assured, however, the reductions will be as large as possible, consistent with the maintenance of our present strong and healthy financial position. We look forward to the budget with confident anticipation that it will be good news to the people of Canada and an added impetus to our already buoyant economy.

**Royal Title**  
The Royal Style and Titles Bill was passed this week designating the official title of our beloved Queen Elizabeth whose coronation is an event of national and world interest next year.

Section I of the bill provides that parliament's assent to the bill by Her Majesty of a proclamation establishing for the Dominion of Canada, the royal style and title set out:

Elizabeth the Second, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom, Canada and Her other Kingdoms and Territories, Queen, Defender of the Faith.

The above is the text that was read at the prime ministers' conference held in London last week. There was a general desire to have the royal style and title in accordance with the constitutional tradition of the various members of the Commonwealth and as far as possible.

Her Majesty is now the Queen of Canada, but she is the Queen of the United Kingdom and because the people of Canada are recognized as their sovereign, the one who is sovereign of the United Kingdom. It was felt that it was desirable to have recognition retained in the proclamation of the historical link between this country and the United Kingdom.

The bill passed in a splendidly encouraging spirit of unity and harmony. The Prime Minister spoke with unmistakable clarity and sincerity in tribute to the significance of the Crown and Her Majesty the Queen and remarks were unanimously cheered in by all opposition members. At the conclusion of an inspiring hour all at the suggestion of the Prime Minister, joined in singing God Save the Queen.

**Strike Averted**  
There was relief and general satisfaction here, as throughout Canada, that the threatened railway strike was averted. That is was averted is a real tribute to the leadership of Prime Minister St. Laurent, Labor Minister Bennett and the good sense and spirit of railway management and labor leaders.

meance at once. By government order it is now required that all Canadian book publishers send two copies of their publications to the national library.

**Aid for Flood Victims**  
Canada, through parliament, lost no time in extending sympathy and offers of practical aid to flood victims in the United Kingdom, Belgium and the Netherlands. A substantial grant by the government will be supplemented by voluntary subscription campaigns which are already under way in many communities.

Immigration Minister Harris announced a government decision to offer assisted passage to any of the victims of the flood disaster who desired to emigrate to Canada.

## National Health Week In Canada Points Up High Rate Foot Ills

National Health Week is a good reminder that your feet probably get less care and harsher treatment than any other part of your body. The fact is that most Canadians are fussy about the care of their automobiles—with the result that the number of Canadians suffering from foot ills has more than doubled since Henry Ford introduced the Model T.

This week, orthopedists, pediatricians and other medical specialists are brandishing a fistful of statistics and advice in an effort to prevent you from hobbling through life like a barefoot pilgrim. For example, they report that one out of every three Canadians suffers from sore and aching feet, and that foot troubles usually come from wearing faulty shoes.

As a good foot health rule, most specialists recommend flexible, all-leather shoes with leather uppers and soles. The fibrous structure of leather allows your feet to receive cool air and evaporate perspiration, and also provides necessary firmness and support.

The foot is a delicate piece of human machinery, made up of 26 bones, 19 muscles, 214 ligaments, and a higher concentration of sweat glands and tiny blood vessels than in any other part of your anatomy. No wonder such a complex mechanism develops kinks and soreness when poorly shod. Worse yet, shoes that don't fit properly or are made of unsuitable materials can throw the entire body out of alignment and set up a chain reaction of complaints ranging from headaches to back pains.

Your feet demand comfort

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## PAROCHIAL GUILD

Newcomers to the parish and members of the women's groups in the church will be the guests of the Parochial guild, St. Paul's Anglican church, Newmarket. The guild will hold this social evening in the Parish Hall on Tuesday, Feb. 17, 8 p.m.

Plans for the annual party which the guild holds for the women of St. Paul's church organizations were completed at the Feb. 3 meeting of the Parochial guild. Held at the home of Mrs. Joseph Peat, the meeting was presided over by Mrs. George Cuppage. Mrs. Cuppage led in the devotionals.

A social half-hour was held at the conclusion of the business session. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

## SHARON

The annual vestry meeting of St. James Anglican church, Sharon, was held at the home of Mr. W. R. Osler on Jan. 27, with a good attendance. Mr. Arthur was in the chair. Splendid reports were received. The officers for the coming year are as follows: rector's warden, Mr. R. J. Rogers; people's warden, Mr. B. Cox; sidesmen, Mr. W. R. Osler, Mr. L. Salomon, Mr. Arthur Hall and Mr. M. L. Newroth; treasurer, Miss Elda Hall; lay representative, Mr. A. Thomas.

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## See Township Credit Union's Success In 4 Percent Dividend

The progress of King Township Credit Union is seen in a four percent dividend on share savings and a 25 percent patronage rebate on the loan interest to members it was announced at the second annual meeting on Thursday, Jan. 29. The meeting was attended by 100, when greetings from King township council were brought by Deputy Reeve William Hodgson and councillors Wilfred Aitchison and Douglas Wellesley.

President J. W. Ball welcomed the members, outlining the past year's activities, for the board of directors. The minutes of the last year's annual meeting were read by L. J. McCormick and approved.

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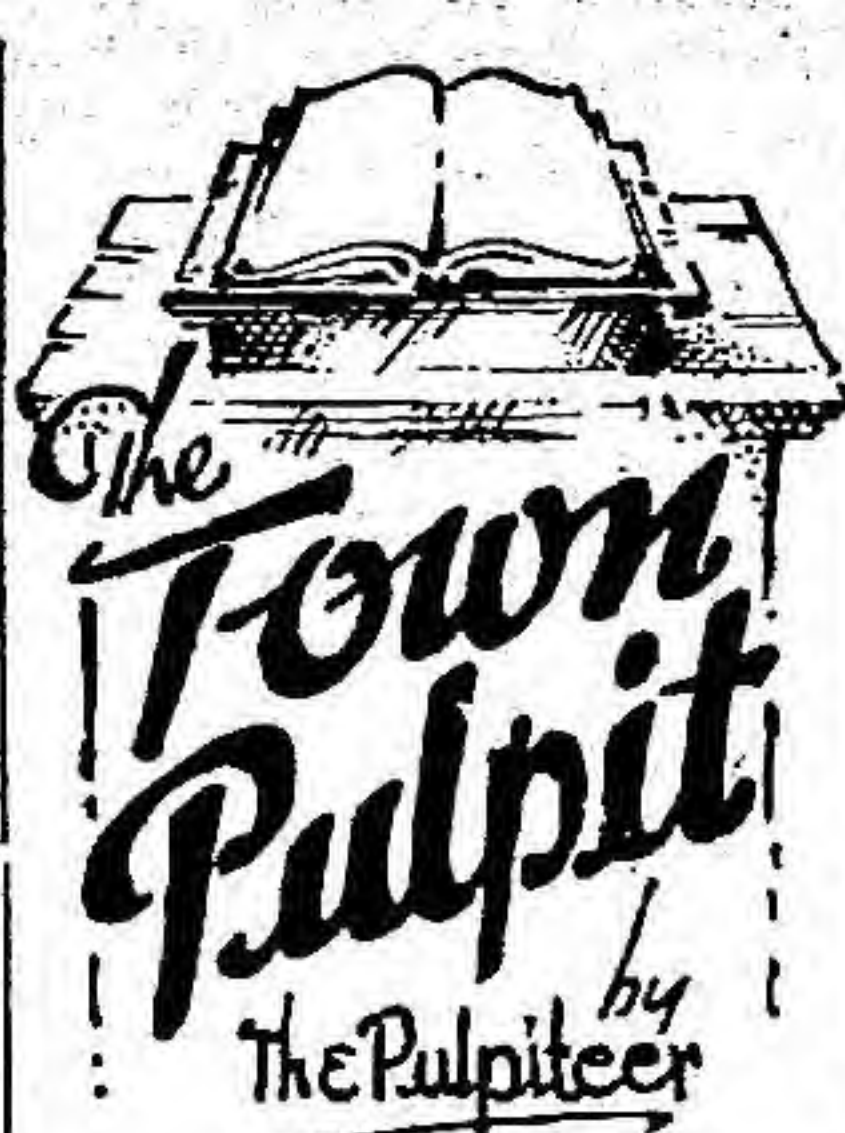
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A strange story is told. It comes from long ago. In a Greek city stood a statue. Every trace of it has now vanished but the story lives on. Here it is.

A traveller one day passed the statue as it stood so stately by the side of the road and he said: "What is thy name, O Statue?"

"Who made thee?" "Lysippus."

"Why art thou standing on thy toes?"

"To show that I stay but for a moment."

"Why hast thou wings on thy feet?"

gardeners have been forced to resort to crude handmade implements in order to work their soil for sustenance.

Membership in the local credit union association is open to any resident of the township. The credit committee meets every Monday in Sacred Heart school auditorium on "bank night", 8 to 9 p.m. Applications for loans can be made at that time.

"To show how quickly I pass by."

"Why is thy hair so long in front?"

"That men may seize me when they meet me."

"Why is thy head so bald behind?"

"To show that when I pass I cannot be caught."

We do not see statues today to remind us of opportunities quickly passing. But we are being warned, though it be by such a humble medium as a column like this. Opportunities to do good, to say a kind word, to give a helping hand are fleeting and here but for a moment.

But pause, my wayfaring friend, and consider this word of warning. Consider it well! Not only do opportunities pass quickly by and never return but the Good Book tells us that even God may cease to call and His voice be heard no more.

A minister one day told me that the most heart-breaking part of his ministry was when folks, knowing their time was short, would call him to their bedside and ask him to pray that God would give them another chance. How sad the bitter cry! "The harvest is past and the summer is ended and we are not saved."

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In 1953, all Chevrolet trucks up to 1400 Series models are equipped both front and rear with big, powerful "Torque-Action" brakes which make full use of truck momentum for greater stopping power. Series 1100, 1500, 1700 and 1800 heavy-duty trucks use extra-large "Torque-Action" brakes in front. "Twin-Action" type in rear. Both assure quick, smooth, safe stops — provide greater stopping power, greater durability than before.

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## The Common Round...

By Isabel Inglis Colville

### WHAT WE HOLD

It would not seem worth while to hold  
The thread of life  
If it, within it each close wound  
fold,  
Held not a twist of love enrolled  
To soothe life's strife.

Love, from on high or from this  
plane,  
If it be true,  
Will praise good efforts that seem  
vain  
yet from reproof will not refrain  
When that seems due.

When life seems crushing things  
awry  
As things can be,  
A still small voice may fall from  
out the sky  
Or just a handclasp from a loved  
one nigh  
And worries flee.

No man or woman can be poor  
indeed  
While they're a friend,  
All kinds of friend in time of  
bitter need  
Human, divine, a dog, a cat, they  
speed  
To comfort lend.

If we have lived by bread alone,

Some of us do,  
When sorrow comes, we find  
bread but a stone,  
But bread of spirit, mind and soul  
Make such a satisfying whole.  
And we will find much in our  
lives to hold  
For love and work abundantly  
will mould  
Our lives anew.

## BIRTHDAY CLUB

Birthday wishes are extended this week to:  
Carol Lynn Evans, Newmarket, 6 years old on Friday, Feb. 6.  
Dorothy Irene Wilder, Fottageville, 11 years old on Saturday, Feb. 7.  
Margaret Irene Hutt, Fottageville, 8 years old on Saturday, Feb. 7.  
Nancy Diane Duncan, Newmarket, 10 years old on Saturday, Feb. 7.  
Janice Wilma Sheridan, Newmarket, 4 years old on Saturday, Feb. 7.  
Wayne Spence, Aurora, 13 years

old on Sunday, Feb. 8.  
Marilyn Louise Sedore, Newmarket, 4 years old on Sunday, Feb. 8.  
Jeanne Pinder, Sharon, 12 years old on Monday, Feb. 9.  
Rose Mary Wright, Newmarket, 7 years old on Monday, Feb. 9.  
Lois Jean Black, Zephyr, 13 years old on Tuesday, Feb. 10.  
Patsy Milgate, Aurora, 8 years old on Tuesday, Feb. 10.  
Corinne Sadler, Holland Landing, 5 years old on Tuesday, Feb. 10.  
Sharon Elizabeth Harrison, Mount Albert, 4 years old on Tuesday, Feb. 10.  
Doris Edith Brandon, R. R. 3, Newmarket, 11 years old on Wednesday, Feb. 11.  
Jimmy Bond, Newmarket, 13 years old on Wednesday, Feb. 11.  
Johnny Ennis, Orillia, 8 years old on Wednesday, Feb. 11.  
Judith Mary Ann Racine, Newmarket, 11 years old on Wednesday, Feb. 11.  
Marie King, Lake Wilcox, 10 years old on Wednesday, Feb. 11.  
Auldeen Dike, Mount Albert, 13 years old on Thursday, Feb. 12.  
Virginia Boyd, Newmarket, 10 years old on Thursday, Feb. 12.  
Wayne Pickering, Zephyr, 6 years old on Thursday, Feb. 12.  
Bradley VanZant, Newmarket, 6 years old on Thursday, Feb. 12.  
Joyce Gilroy, Winona, 14 years old on Thursday, Feb. 12.  
Ronnie Lyons, Sutton West, 3 years old on Thursday, Feb. 12.  
Send in your name, address, age and become a member of the Newmarket Era and Express birthday club.

## Mount Albert News

Last week was Canadian Youth week and this was observed by the C.G.I.T. girls who had a bowling party on Saturday afternoon at Newmarket when Ruth Harrison was high girl with 163 and Arlene Rate second with 144.

On Sunday the C.G.I.T. girls attended the morning service in a body, with their leader, Mrs. B. Rolling, and two of the girls, Ruth Rutledge and Betty Rolling, assisting the minister, Rev.

### KETTLEBY

The W.A. and W.M.S. met at the home of Mrs. C. Black on Tuesday, Feb. 3, with a pot luck dinner and a W.M.S. quilting. Mrs. C. Black presided over the W. A. and was assisted in the devotional by Mrs. Graham, Mrs. B. Woods and Mrs. R. Marshall. Mrs. Black gave a short paper entitled "A Housewife's Resolution."

Mrs. G. Cambourne presided over the W.M.S. and gave a report on the annual meeting which was held in Toronto recently. Plans were made to send a bale to Korea, also to collect salvage papers. The "World Day of Prayer" service is to be held in the United church on Friday, Feb. 20, at 8 p.m. All are welcome to attend.

Shapter, in the service.  
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carr spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alto Davison at Queensville.  
Mr. and Mrs. Guy Williamson visited Mr. and Mrs. Albert Madill at Manilla on Saturday.  
Miss Dianne Locke, Toronto, spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Leek.  
Mr. Alfred Green, Rodney, has been a visitor at the home of his sister, Mrs. D. B. Pegg.  
Do not miss hearing the Wilking brothers at the United church on Tuesday, Feb. 17, at 8.15 p.m., with their travelogue of their trip to India. Those who have heard these boys on their travels will not want to miss hearing them.

Mount Albert firemen had two calls over the weekend, early on Saturday morning to Brown Hill school and early Sunday to a house on the Vivian road, both of which were past saving when the men arrived.  
Miss Bertha Crone, Holstein, spent the weekend at her home near town.  
On Friday, Feb. 20, the Women's World Day of Prayer will be held in the United church at 2.30 p.m., when all ladies' organizations will take part in the program. It is non-denominational and every lady is cordially asked to be present.

## FAMILY HAPPY IN KNOWLEDGE OF FATHER'S SURVIVAL



A happy family is that of Pilot James J. Siddle of Vancouver when they were told the news of his survival after crashing into the ocean on a flight to Kamano, B.C. Pilot Siddle and his family were told that he was still alive after a crash—a distance of 200 yards. He is the only known survivor. Shown with Mrs. Siddle are Donnie, left; Jimmy, Rick and Margaret.

### Support The Flood Fund In Your Community

## Mrs. Elton Armstrong Speaker At United Church W.A. Meeting

Mrs. Elton Armstrong was the guest speaker at the regular meeting of the Women's association, Trinity United church, Newmarket, when it was held on February 5. Mrs. M. B. Seiden presided.

In charge of the program was group three, convened by Mrs. E. Dobbie who was unable to be present because of illness. The musical portion of the program was provided by Misses Margaret Ketter and Patsy Walker with a pleasing piano duet.

Mrs. R. L. Pritchard led the devotional period. Mrs. Harper Price, the treasurer, reported that the group had raised \$1,228. In 1952. A Valentine tea is being held on Friday, Feb. 13, the proceeds to be turned over to the fund for the Flood Relief set-up by the town.

Mrs. Armstrong in her talk, "Civic Administration", gave a comprehensive picture of York County council, its members and a few of their duties. Using a county map, Mrs. Armstrong located the 26 municipalities which comprise the area. Representing them in County Council are 53 reeves and deputy reeves. The council maintains a permanent clerk and treasurer.

The warden or chairman is selected each year from the members of council. Only three times in the past 100 years has a deputy reeve been chosen for this office. Two of these three, J. O. Little and the late Joel Spillette, were from Newmarket. There is no secret as to how each member of County council votes on the selection of the warden; the voters are called alphabetically and verbally cast their votes.

Four women hold seats on this year's York County council. They are Mrs. D. Hague, Swansea reeve, Mrs. Owen, Mimico deputy-reeve, Mrs. M. Curtis, Long Branch reeve and Mrs. Taylor, East York deputy-reeve.

Mrs. Armstrong spoke on the Cummings report and said that the spring meeting of the Ontario legislature would decide whether or not the 12 municipalities with 8 percent of the population and assessment would amalgamate with Toronto or not. Until this has been decided, no action would be taken on the proposed new Home for the Aged, the speaker said.

Mrs. Armstrong stressed the need for more interest on the part of women in local affairs.

### PINE ORCHARD

Mr. and Mrs. Rae McClure and family and Mrs. Jessa Landy spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. W. Whitfield, Thornbury.

Mr. Harold Ghent, Teeswater, was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Armitage.

Misses Helen Reid, Ila Haines, Sharon, and Nora McIntosh, Newmarket, and Doris Gibney, R.N., Toronto, are enjoying a motor trip to Florida.

Mrs. M. McFarlane, Warkworth, is visiting relatives in this vicinity.

The Willing Workers of Union church held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Elmer Starr on Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 4. The meeting was well attended. Plans were completed for a supper at the church on Friday evening, Feb. 27, at 6.30, followed by the Royal tour film and musical numbers.

Readings were given by Mrs. Edson Johnston and Mrs. A. S. Doggett. Mrs. Starr spoke on temperance work and Mrs. Elsie McClure gave an account of the life of Francis Willard, founder of the Women's Christian Temperance Union.

The Union church service each Sunday is at 2.30 p.m. and Sunday school at 1.30 p.m.

She urged attendance at nomination meeting as well as the importance of each eligible voter marking her ballot.  
"Newcomers should be welcomed to our town and asked to the church services and group meetings. In helping with the campaign for funds for the flood victims in England and Holland, we have an opportunity to further world fellowship," said Mrs. Armstrong. In closing, Mrs. Armstrong left with the members of Trinity W.A., this simple morning prayer.  
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**George Bainbridge**

A valiant soldier, a fine gentle-  
man, and a respected citizen,  
George Bainbridge, the oldest  
war veteran of King district, was  
laid to rest in King City ceme-  
tery, on Monday, Feb. 9, with  
reverence and respect.

After the burial committal was  
performed by Rev. D. C. H.  
Michell, the graveside service of  
the Canadian Legion was given  
by Comrade Joseph McGrath and  
the salute to the departed com-  
rade was given by bearers, Com-  
rades Joseph McGrath, Jack  
Jones, Albert Kelley, P. McQuar-  
rie, Farren Cairns and A. E. Jar-  
vis. Their crimson poppies the  
symbol of service and sacrifice  
were laid on the flag draped  
casket.

The funeral service was held  
in All Saints' Anglican church,  
conducted by the rector, Rev. D.  
C. H. Michell, where a large  
gathering of friends paid their  
last respects to one who had tes-  
tified allegiance to the Crown,  
loyalty to Canada, the country  
of his adoption, and had moved  
among the folk he loved so well  
with uprightness.

The rector spoke of his record  
as a great soldier and his love  
of children in the neighborhood.  
He paid tribute to the pride he  
had taken in caring for and  
beautifying the church grounds  
for many years. Members of  
the congregation of the Anglican  
church, Lake Marie and King  
Athletic Association, King Leg-  
ion, 438, and personal friends at-  
tended.

Mr. Bainbridge passed away  
suddenly on Saturday afternoon,  
from a heart seizure, at his  
home, in King City, where he  
lived alone.

Proud of the fact that he was  
born on Victoria Day, May 24,  
75 years ago, Mr. Bainbridge  
carried the Victoria Medal  
among his service medals. He  
was born at Jersey, on the Chan-  
nel Islands, enlisting with the  
Imperial Army for service in  
Ceylon, Burma and Malaya. He  
would tell of unique experiences  
on the northern frontier lines  
and after eight years he was  
demobilized, immigrating to  
Canada in 1904.

As a young man, he arrived at  
Kleinburg railway station, bound  
for Nobleton where he was to  
work for James Kaake as a  
farm helper. One of his first  
acquaintances was Mr. Andrew  
McClure. He was hired on sev-  
eral Nobleton and King farms.

In 1915 he enlisted in the 127th  
York Rangers Battalion and  
served overseas on military con-  
struction work until after the  
first World War. When he set-  
tled in King City, he had lived  
with Mr. and Mrs. George How-  
ard and spent much time in the  
home of Harry Edwards.

After Mr. James Patton  
bought the Pinkerton property  
on King street, he moved a  
small building to the rear and  
gave Mr. Bainbridge its use as  
a small home.

The only survivor is Miss  
Yvonne Mitchell, Brighton, Eng-  
land, a niece of the deceased.

**OBITUARY**

**Stanley Jackson Cain**

A highly respected and well-  
known resident of the Nobleton  
district, Stanley Jackson Cain,  
passed away at his home, Har-  
mony Villa, 27 Highway, Vaughan  
township. Known as a suc-  
cessful farmer and breeder of  
Ayrshire cattle, he lived most of  
his life in this vicinity where he  
had a host of friends.

Mr. Cain acted as chairman  
of the Board of Stewards in  
Nobleton United church. He took  
a keen interest in community  
affairs. For many years he was  
prominent in Masonic circles. In  
1918 he served as Worship Mas-  
ter of the True Blue Lodge, A.F.  
and A.M., No. 98, Bolton and the  
previous years was a popular  
member of the senior Wardens'  
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D. Last year he served as  
Worthy Patron in the Chapter of  
the Order of Eastern Star, in  
Bolton. He will be much missed  
in Lodge circles. The last rites  
of the Masonic order were con-  
ferred at a service in his home  
on Sunday evening, conducted by  
True Blue officers and members,  
with many from Woodbridge,  
Schomberg, King, Caledon East  
and Toronto lodges in attend-  
ance.

Stanley Cain was the eldest  
son of the late Thomas and  
Margaret Cain, formerly of Aur-  
ora. He is survived by his wife,  
the former Pauline McCutcheon;  
two sisters, Mrs. George White  
(Pearl), Keswick and Mrs. F.  
M. Sharpe (Floss), Toronto; two  
brothers Elliot and Harold, Nob-  
leton; also six nephews and  
three nieces. A sister, Mrs. Al-  
bert Kerr, predeceased him.

The funeral service on Mon-  
day, at his home was well at-  
tended. Interment was in Laurel  
Hill cemetery, Bolton. Six mas-  
onic members acted as pallbear-  
ers. Flower bearers were neph-  
ews, Stanley Sharpe, Fred  
Sharpe, Bill Kerr, Tom Cain,  
Alex Cain, Paul Matthews and  
Masons Lorne Ellis, Mel Hoover  
and Jack Turner.

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flying over their territory. This  
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mature Canadian, male or  
female, with good vision and  
hearing.

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a vital link in air defence work  
and is being set up to supplement  
radar coverage with eyewitness  
reports of aircraft seen visually,  
or heard. Official Observers will  
serve right in their own neigh-  
borhood.

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under way in the very near fu-  
ture within easy driving distance  
of anyone's own home. Mr.  
Clare Keevil, Claremont, has  
been appointed regional super-  
visor for this district, and has  
application forms available upon  
request.

**Keswick News**

The February W.C.T.U. meet-  
ing was held at the home of Mrs.  
Perry Winch, Sr.

The program consisted of a  
splendid devotional by Mrs.  
Agar, an editorial, "Beer in  
Korea", by Mrs. Cameron and a  
discussion on the harm of cock-  
tails, also topics on Francis Wil-  
lard by Mrs. F. Pollock and Mrs.  
Kennedy.

Lunch was served and a social  
hour spent while various groups  
were arranging for the World's  
Day of Prayer. The March  
meeting will be held at the home  
of Mrs. Freeman Pollock.

Friends here were sorry to  
learn of Mr. Freeman Rye's ac-  
cident in Toronto last week. The  
scaffold on which he and a part-  
ner were working collapsed,  
causing a fall to a cement floor  
some 20 feet below. Mr. Rye  
suffered two broken heels and is  
in Toronto East General hospi-  
tal. The Rye family home is in  
Toronto but summers are spent  
at their Keswick Beach cottage.

**KETTLEBY**

A large congregation was  
present at a very impressive  
service in the United church on  
Sunday evening, Feb. 8, when a  
beautiful picture of the "Head  
of Christ" was presented to the  
church as a gift from Mr. and  
Mrs. Ern Blatchford.

The gift was received by the  
minister, Mr. Graham, on behalf  
of the congregation, and by Mr.  
Roy Geer on behalf of the board  
of trustees, who both voiced  
appreciation of the lovely  
thought that prompted this ac-  
tion, and dedicated it to the  
praise and glory of God.

**MOUNT PLEASANT**

Mrs. Everette York returned  
from Toronto last week where  
she has been most of the winter.  
The Women's Guild will be  
held at the home of Mrs. Alex  
Hopkins on Tuesday, Feb. 17, at  
2.30 p.m.

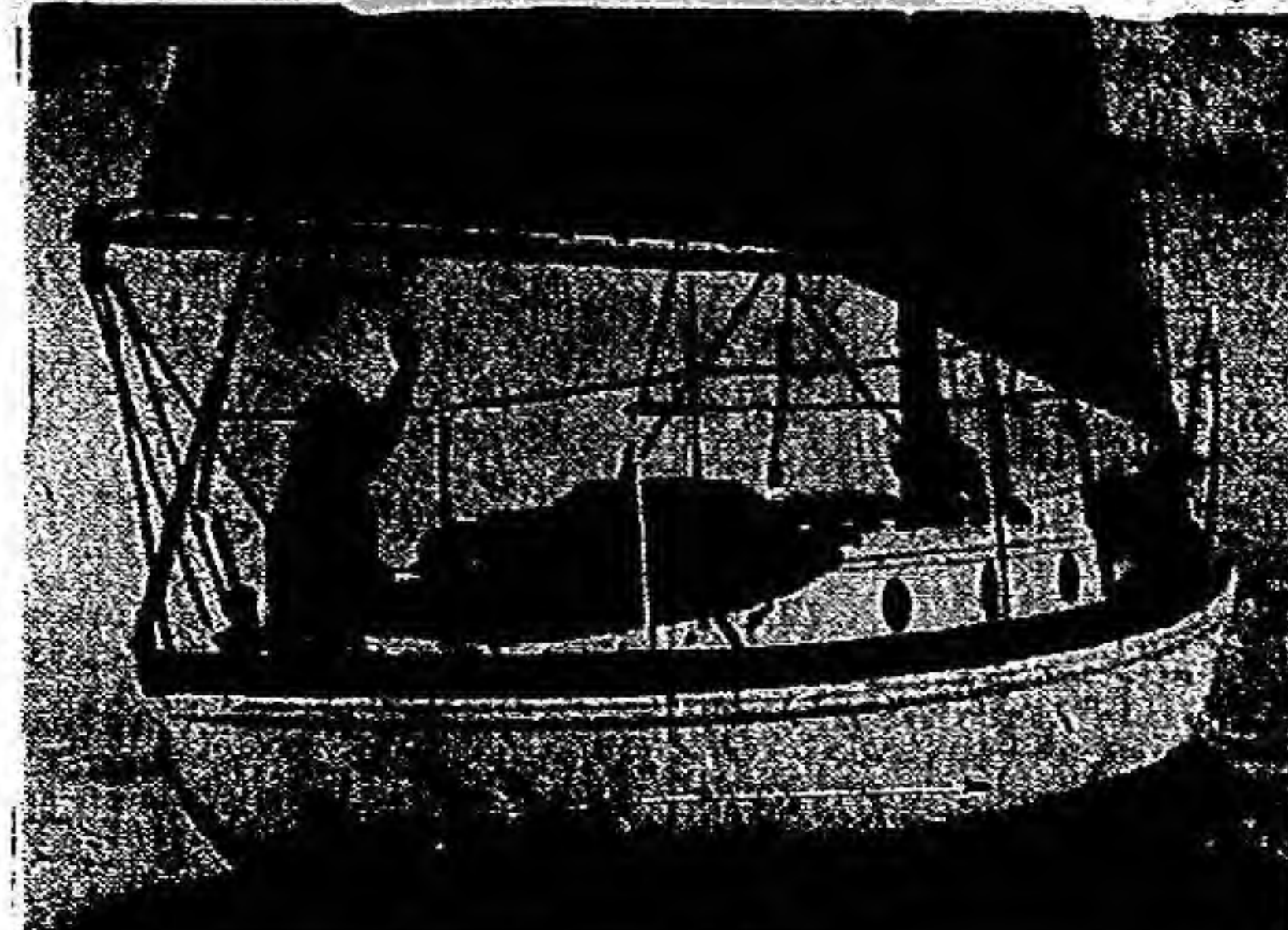
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Morton  
had Sunday supper with Mr. and  
Mrs. Bernard Davidson.

**MOUNT ALBERT**

Miss Olive Todd, Kingdon,  
has been a guest of her sister,  
Mrs. Anglin, for a week.

Mrs. John Bowers and Yvonne,  
Orillia, were weekend guests of  
her sister, Mrs. Wm. Watson.

Service at the United church  
was largely attended on Sunday  
evening when Rev. C. P. Shafter  
conducted a dedication service  
for the leaders of the Masonic  
lodges of the surrounding dis-  
trict. His sermon on "The Tal-  
ents" was one they should long  
remember. Mr. Terry Doan, as  
soloist, assisted the choir in the  
service of song.  
Miss Daisy Watts, Drayville,  
spent the weekend at her home  
in town.



Mrs. Ann Davison, 36, is shown in her 23-foot yacht, Felicity  
Ann, in which she sailed the Atlantic alone, thus becoming the first  
woman in history to do so. She set sail from Plymouth, England,  
last May 18 and has reached the West Indies. Her first attempt  
to cross the Atlantic—with her husband—ended in disaster. Their  
70-foot ketch sank in a storm and he was drowned. She vowed she  
would make the crossing alone.

**Belhaven News**

Mrs. Whittaker and Jean,  
Baseline, spent Sunday with Mr.  
and Mrs. Ted Laye, Oshawa.

Weekend visitors at the home  
of Mr. and Mrs. Selby Fairbairn  
were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond  
Fairbairn and David, Mr. and  
Mrs. Fred Blazey and boys, Mr.  
and Mrs. Frank Kydd and Mr.  
and Mrs. Tom Severn, all of To-  
ronto.

Sympathy of the community is  
extended to Mrs. Wilkinson and  
Mrs. Pollard in their recent be-  
reavement.

Miss Lois Holborn had tea  
Sunday evening with Mr. and  
Mrs. John Holborn, Keswick.

Mr. Lloyd Holstock and friend  
and Mr. and Mrs. R. Lee spent  
Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert  
Holstock.

Miss Muriel Willoughby,  
nurse-in-training in Barrie,  
spent Sunday with her parents,  
Mr. and Mrs. Elja Willoughby.

Mr. Dan Mahoney, Trenton,  
spent the weekend with his mo-

ther, Mrs. Stanley Mahoney.

Mr. Harold Knights, who is  
attending Toronto Normal  
school, is spending a week at  
Baseline school.

Mr. and Mrs. Ab. Edney, Agin-  
court, spent Sunday with her  
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry  
Ardill.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Smith,  
Toronto, were Sunday visitors  
at the home of Mr. and Mrs.  
Perry Fairbairn.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman King  
and Floyd visited Mrs. King's  
aunt, Mrs. McMaster, Green-  
bank, on Sunday.

**MOUNT ALBERT**

Mrs. Stan Oldham was a week-  
end visitor at the home of Mr. and  
Mrs. Jim Slorach.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Slorach and  
Mrs. Stan Oldham visited Mr.  
and Mrs. Rob Nash in Markham  
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\$4,500 STUCCO house, well insulated, heavy wiring, cement foundation, 2 bedrooms, large living room, modern kitchen and bathroom. Jimmy Clark, phone 22112, Queensville. c2w7

6-ROOM frame house, in Newmarket, full basement, unfinished second story, hotwater heated with stoker, landscaped, close to school and bus. Write Era and Express box 281. c2w6

HOUSE. Furnished, 5 rooms, large block cellar, insul brick, 12 acres land. Price \$6,500, cash. All conveniences, hot and cold water, tile bathroom and kitchen. On highway No. 11, between Newmarket and Bradford, near Office Specialty plant, phone 7135, Newmarket. c3w5

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FURNISHED room. Phone 15081, Newmarket. c1w7

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WIDOWER wishes to rent room to man, willing to pay half expenses. Abstainer. Apply 39 Cousins Dr., Aurora. \*1w7

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UNFURNISHED apartment, completely self-contained, ground floor, hotwater heated. No objection to one child. Phone 466, Newmarket. \*1w7

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HIP-ROOF barn 60'x110'. Best offer. Phone 317w12, Newmarket. c1w7

### GARAGE FOR RENT

GARAGE. Central location. Phone 1068w, Newmarket. \*1w7

### FARM WANTED

ATTENTION FARMERS

WE have buyer for 100-200 acre farm in the Newmarket area. All cash. Bernard Mathews Limited, 3317 Yonge Street, phone Ma. 7669. c2w6

### LOTS FOR SALE

2 GOOD lots, on Srigley St., Newmarket. Approximately 50' frontage by 120' deep. Full price \$400. Apply Era and Express box 284. \*1w7

### REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

7-ROOM bungalow on large lot. Modern air conditioning furnace, bathroom, heavy wiring, double garage, good garden and low taxes, in nearby village. Price \$7,500. Down payment \$5,500.

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### MUST BE SOLD THIS WEEK

MODERN 3-bedroom brick home, on west-side of town, 30' living room, ultra modern kitchen with built-in four unit. Full basement. Large lot. Immediate possession. \$10,500. Low down payment. Must be sold as owner transferred.

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FOR 2 gentlemen, willing to share room. About 2 minutes from Office Specialty. Apply 63 Prospect St., or phone 637, Newmarket. \*1w7

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ALUMINUM or steel. Made for all styles of windows. Kirsch drape tracks, drape arms and pin hooks, etc. Free estimates and installations. Phone 755, or apply Harold Craddock, 40 Ontario St. W., Newmarket. t2

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1949 FORD Custom Tudor, radio, a clean car.

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We have several other good used cars at reasonable prices.

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1950 DODGE, 2 ton, cab and chassis

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FROM Hamilton Heights, Newmarket, to University and Dunlop. Office hours 8.30 to 4.45 p.m. Five day week. Commence March 2, E. Hemmingsway, Howard Road, Newmarket, (1st house in), or phone Toronto Howard 4688. c2w7

### MACHINERY FOR SALE

HIGH pressure boiler, 25 h.p., Sawyer Massey, butt plate, 4408, 650m, Newmarket. c1w7

### FOUND

TIRE on rim. Apply John Weddel, R.R. 1, Newmarket. \*1w7

HOUND, male, mostly black. B. Aylward, Queensville. \*1w7

### PETS

BABY budgies. Various colors. Phone 477, or apply 13 Queen St. E., Newmarket. \*2w6

### MISCELLANEOUS

CANARIES. Singers \$8., hens \$1.50. Baby budgies \$8. Cages and supplies. Breeding cages. African violets, 65 colors, 50c each. Mrs. Wm. Agar, Beeton, phone 81. \*1w7

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Thuna's Pink Tablets for the nose and throat, for the dropping of mucous discharge, sensation of the lump in the throat and other disturbances. These are the same reliable pink tablets that have been used for many years by adults and children with good results. Price \$1.00; \$1.75; \$2.50. The Best Drug Store, phone 14, Newmarket. t2

### GOODMAN'S SALVAGE COMPANY

USED pipes, steel posts, T beams, angle irons, plates, bolts, etc., in all sizes. Many other items of various sizes. Phone 305, Davis Drive, Newmarket. t2

All-herbal rheumatic tablets for muscular, arthritic, neuritic and sciatic pains. Price \$1.00. Best Drug Store, phone 14, Newmarket. t2

### THE BEST BRONCHIAL COUGH SYRUP

For coughs, colds and bronchitis. A prompt and effective remedy for the relief of bronchitis, tight or chesty coughs and colds. 75 cents. The Best Drug Store, Newmarket. c3w5

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We repair all makes of sewing machines. New machines \$39.50 up. Singer Sewing Center, Newmarket, 138 Main St., phone 1075. t2

### FOR SALE OR RENT

Hospital beds, wheel and invalid chairs. Theaker and Son, Mount Albert 3503. t2

### SALE REGISTER

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 18—Auction sale of farm stock and implements. Holstein and Jersey cattle, horses, threshing machine, Massey-Harris tractor, model 30, 2 years old, good condition, also full line of tractor implements, hay and grain, at lot 8, con. 7, Whitechurch Twp., at Lemonville, the property of Miss Gertrude Nieghorn. No reserve as farm sold. Terms: Cash. Sale at 12.30. Lloyd Turner, clerk. A. S. Farmer, auctioneer. c3w5

THURSDAY, FEB. 19—Auction sale of dairy herd, milking machine, 2 tractors, tractor implements, pigs, grain, hay, ensilage, etc., at lot 21, con. 10, Markham, 2 1/2 miles north of No. 7 highway. The property of W. L. (Harry) Silverthorn. Farm sold. No reserve. Sale 1 p.m. Lloyd Turner, clerk. Sellers and Atkinson auctioneers. c2w6

TUESDAY, FEB. 24—Dispersal sale of Holstein herd, consisting of springers fresh and milking cows, and 12.30. H. Pearson, auctioneer. c3w6

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 25—Auction sale of 30 head of Shorthorn cattle, farm stock and implements. Farmall A tractor, in first class condition. Massey-Harris combine, motor driven, new in 1952, hay and grain, and furniture, at lot 18, con. 1, Scott Twp., 1 1/2 miles east and 1 1/2 miles north of Mount Albert, the property of Douglas Moorhead. No reserve as farm sold. Terms: Cash. Sale at 12.30. H. Pearson, clerk. A. S. Farmer, auctioneer. c3w6

THURSDAY, MAR. 12—Auction sale of farm stock, implements, Holstein herd consisting of 40 head of springers, fresh and milking cows and heifers. Nearly new line of tractor implements, including Massey-Harris tractor 44, hay, grain and pigs. In the village of Sharon, lot 11, con. 3, East Gwillimbury. The property of Roy Durrell. No reserve. Sale at 12.30 p.m. Percy Mahoney, clerk. Smith and Johnson, auctioneers. \*2w7

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE ESTATE OF JOHN FRANKLIN OSTLEY, LATE OF THE VILLAGE OF QUEENSVILLE, IN THE COUNTY OF YORK, RETIRED FARMER, DECEASED.

Creditors of the above-named deceased, who died at the Town of Whitby, in the County of Ontario, on or about the 15th day of December, 1952, are hereby notified pursuant to The Trustee Act to send to the undersigned proof of their claims on or before the 3rd day of March, 1953, after which date the assets of the Estate will be distributed having regard only to the claims of which the undersigned will then have notice.

DATED at Newmarket this Twenty-ninth day of January, A.D. 1953.

Mathews, Stiver, Lyons & Vale,  
Solicitors for John Lyle Smith, Executor. c4w4

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE ESTATE OF HENRY MCGANN, LATE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF EAST Gwillimbury, IN THE COUNTY OF YORK, LABOURER, DECEASED.

CREDITORS of the above-named deceased, who died at the Township of East Gwillimbury, in the County of York, on or about the Seventh day of November, 1952, are hereby notified pursuant to The Trustee Act to send to the undersigned proof of their claims on or before the Fourteenth day of March, 1953, after which date the assets of the estate will be distributed having regard only to the claims of which the undersigned will then have notice.

DATED at Newmarket this eleventh day of February, A.D. 1953.

Mathews, Stiver, Lyons and Vale,  
Solicitors for Annie McGann, Administratrix. c3w7

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE ESTATE OF BERYL B. CAMERON, LATE OF THE VILLAGE OF KESWICK, IN THE COUNTY OF YORK, MARRIED WOMAN, DECEASED.

CREDITORS of the above-named deceased, who died at the Village of Keswick, in the County of York, on or about the 29th day of December, 1952, are hereby notified pursuant to The Trustee Act to send to the undersigned proof of their claim on or before the 1st day of April, 1953, after which date the assets of the Estate will be distributed having regard only to the claims of which the undersigned will then have notice.

DATED at Newmarket this 11th day of February, A.D. 1953.

John J. Cameron, Administrator by his Solicitors Mathews, Stiver Lyons and Vale, Newmarket, Ontario. c3w7

### THE CHRISTIAN BAPTIST CHURCH

Main Street Newmarket

Minister, Rev. Fred Breckon

Organist, Mrs. Eugene Cane

11 a.m.—Morning worship

Child Dedication Service

2.30 p.m.—Sunday School

7 p.m.—Tibet in Transition

Movies in color

Wed., 8 p.m.—Mid-week Prayer Meeting.

All welcome

### THE GOSPEL TABERNACLE

Millard Ave. (Associated Gospel Church)

Pastor, REV. A. R. YIELDING

Planist, MRS. KENNETH LANGFORD

9.50 a.m.—Bible School for all ages.

11 a.m.—The pastor's subject: "Joseph"

7 p.m.—The pastor's subject: "He is faithful"

Note—Crusaders meet in the town hall Friday, 7 p.m.

### SALVATION ARMY OTTAWA

14 Queen St. W., Newmarket

Sr. Major Laura Collins

Sunday

11 a.m.—Morning service

3 p.m.—Sunday school

7 p.m.—Evening service

### CONNAUGHT GARDENS BAPTIST CHURCH

Invites You

10 a.m.—Sunday School

11 a.m.—Divine Worship

Location—Corner of Muriel and Arthur Sts.

Pastor—W. Laurence Evans

### CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Cor. Main and Queen Sts.

Rev. A. E. Collins, Minister

Miss June Haines, organist

Miss Norine Greenwood, pianist

10 a.m.—CHURCH BIBLE SCHOOL

11 a.m.—"Life's Trials" - and what to do with them?

7 p.m.—"Ladies' Night. Theme: "Mother, Queen of the home"

Tues., 6 p.m.—Rev. S. Roy Hall, St. Thomas, Ont.

Fri., 7 p.m.—Junior Young People

8 p.m.—Senior Young People

Welcome to the church of friendship

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE ESTATE OF JOHN WESLEY WILLOUGHBY (COMMONLY KNOWN AS RICHARD NELSON), LATE OF THE TOWN OF NEWMARKET, IN THE COUNTY OF YORK, HOTEL MANAGER, DECEASED.

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9.45 a.m.—The Senior school

11 a.m.—The Nursery class

11.30 a.m.—Beginners and primary

7 p.m.—Evening Worship

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Church attendance pays dividends — in character

### FRIENDS' MEETING

Balsford Street

11 a.m.—Meeting for Worship

Come and meet with us

All Welcome

No Quarterly Meeting will be held in February

"Christlike believing means brotherlike living"

### FREE METHODIST CHURCH

REV. E. S. BULL, Pastor

Church of the Light and Life

Hour, every Sunday at 8.30 a.m.

10 a.m.—Sunday School

11 a.m.—Divine worship

7 p.m.—EVANGELISTIC Rally

Tues., 8 p.m.—Prayer Meeting

Thurs., 8 p.m.—Class Meeting

Fri., 7 p.m.—C.Y.C. for Juniors

COMING FOR

March 1—Lorne Park College Group

March 3-15—Rev. Carl Koerner

Youthful Evangelist of Memphis, Michigan

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Wednesday, Feb. 18, 8 p.m.—Prayer Meeting



# Classifieds Continued

## AUCTION SALE

**FARM STOCK**  
Holstein and Jersey Cattle  
Horses, Pigs  
**IMPLEMENTS**

Thrashing Machine, M.H. Tractor, Full line of Tractor Implements, Hay and Grain, the undersigned has received instructions to sell by public auction at

LOT 8, CON. 7, WHITCHURCH AT LEMONVILLE

**WEDNESDAY, FEB. 18**

the following property belonging to

**MISS GERTRUDE NIEGHORN**

Jersey cow, milking, bred Nov. 13  
Guernsey heifer, due in March, vaccinated  
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Holstein heifer, bred Jan. 9  
Holstein heifer, supposed to freshen in March  
Holstein heifer, bred Nov. 16  
Holstein heifer, bred Nov. 16  
Holstein heifer, bred, supposed to freshen in March  
Holstein heifer, bred Nov. 21  
Holstein heifer, bred Jan. 20  
Holstein heifer, bred Dec. 19  
Holstein heifer, bred  
Above cattle are bred to Maple Bulls  
Hereford steer:  
Black Mare, 9 years old, Percheron  
Roan Gelding, 10 years old  
Sow, bred Jan. 3  
Sow, bred Jan. 10  
Sow, bred Jan. 14  
Sow, bred Feb. 1  
38 Chunks  
About 35 tons of Hay, sold by the mov  
About 500 bus. mixed grain  
About 500 bus. Oats  
Lion Thrashing machine, 26x32, with chaff blower and seed cleaner, in good condition  
Binder, Cockshutt, power take-off, 8 ft. cut  
M.H. Seed Drill, fertilizer and grain  
Deering Mower, 5 ft. cut  
M.H. Hay Tedder  
M.H. Hay Rake  
M.H. Blower, cutting box, 12" N. 6, in good condition  
M.H. Tractor, No. 30, 2 years, good condition  
M.H. 10" grain grinder  
Sedore tractor loaders, including snow shovel, gravel scoop, manure fork, bull dozer blade, like new  
3-furrow tractor plow, Cockshutt  
Tractor cultivator, stiff tooth  
3-section spring tooth harrow  
Set Double discs, I.H.C., good  
Manure spreader, Cockshutt No. 3  
Potato digger  
Turnip drill  
Slush scraper  
Root pulper  
2 Wagons on rubber  
Buggy  
2 Hay racks  
Bag cart  
Set sloop sleighs  
Cutter  
Enslage Cart, Beatty  
Set Bench sleighs and rack  
M.H. Scuffer  
Wheelbarrow  
2-Wheel trailer  
Set tractor chains  
2 Corn Planters  
Hay Fork and sling ropes  
Set smart hand clippers  
Set of electric clippers  
M.H. buzz saw with 2 extra saws  
Blacksmith forge and anvil  
Set of pipe threader and dies  
Blow torch  
Block and tackle  
Number of logging chains  
Set 2000 lb. scales, good  
Vice  
50 Rods of snow fence and posts  
Quantity of 3" water pipe  
Number of barn timbers  
Number of barn rafters, 4x4  
Quantity of lumber  
Shovels  
Pair of doors  
Screw jack  
Number of cedar fence posts  
Set of double harness  
3 Horse collars  
Sale at 12:30 p.m. Terms, cash  
No reserve as farm sold  
The W.A. will serve lunch  
Lloyd Turner, clerk  
A. S. Farmer, auctioneer

## AUCTION SALE

of farm stock, implements, etc., the property of

**HARRISON PROCTOR**

lot 100, con. 1, East Gwillimbury Twp., (No. 11 highway opposite Poplar Banks Service station)

**THURSDAY, FEB. 19**

**HORSES**

1 Team black Geldings  
1 Set harness

**CATTLE**

Ayrshire cow, 6 years old, full flow, bred January 25, 1953, artificial bred

Holstein cow, 5 years old, full flow, bred January 25, 1953, artificial bred

Holstein cow, 6 years old, due April 15, 1953

Holstein cow, 5 years old, due May 2, 1953

Holstein cow, 7 years old, due time of sale

Holstein cow, 7 years old, artificial bred, October 1, 1952

Ayrshire cow, 4 years old, bred January 23, 1953

Holstein cow, 3 years old, full flow, bred December 26, 1952

Holstein cow, 3 years old, bred November 8, 1952

Holstein cow, 3 years old, full flow, bred January 2, 1953

Holstein cow, 3 years old, full flow

**HEIFERS**

Holstein heifer, 2 years old, bred January 12, 1953

Holstein heifer, 2 years old, bred January 15, 1953

Holstein heifer, 2 years old, bred January 30, 1953

Holstein heifer, 2 years old, bred January 5, 1953

Holstein heifer, 2 years old, bred January 3, 1953

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Up there to welcome us. Sadly missed by Douglas and Mary Carl.

**HARRISON**—In loving memory of a dear husband, Charles Harrison, who passed away February 10, 1950. Time takes away the edge of grief, But memory turns back every leaf. Ever remembered by wife Olive.

**JOHNSON**—In loving memory of a dear husband and father, Robert Johnson, who passed away February 15, 1952. We are lonely here without you; We miss you more each day; Somehow life doesn't seem the same.

Since you were called away, Our heart aches with sadness, Our eyes shed many a tear; God only knows how much we miss you. As this ends the first sad year. Ever remembered by your loving wife and family.

**JOHNSON**—In loving memory of our dear dad, Robert Johnson, who passed away February 15, 1952. We have only your memory, dear father, To remember our whole life through; But the kindness will linger forever. As we treasure the image of you. The one we loved has gone to rest.

His fond true heart is still; The hand that always helped us, Now lies in death's cold chill. Sadly missed by Hilda, Alf and children.

**MARCH**—In loving memory of my dear wife, Ethel March, who passed away February 10, 1952. Lovingly remembered by her husband Harry.

**MARCH**—In loving memory of a dear sister, Ethel March, who passed away February 10, 1952. Lovingly remembered by Claris, Bert, also Fred, Ronnie, Muriel, Leslie and Annie.

**THOMPSON**—In loving memory of a dear wife and mother, Mary Sidney Thompson, who passed away February 8, 1952. Gone from us, but leaving memories, Death can never take away; Memories that will always linger.

While upon this earth we stay Sadly missed by husband and family.

**YATES**—In loving memory of my father, Leslie Dean Yates, who passed away February 6, 1949. Remembrance is a golden chain Death tries to break, but all in vain. To have, to love, and then to part Is the greatest sorrow of one's heart.

The years may wipe out many things But this they wipe out never—The memory of those happy days When we were all together. Ever remembered by daughter Barbara and son-in-law Lloyd.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
I wish to express my thanks to Dr. J. G. Cock and Dr. M. G. Peever and the nurses of York County hospital for their care and kindness while in the hospital. Many thanks are extended to my friends for their cards and flowers.

Mrs. Don Wright

**CARD OF THANKS**  
To the hospital staff, doctors and the three special nurses who cared for me during my eleven days in the hospital, I want to say "thank you".

Mrs. D. Spezial

**CARD OF THANKS**  
I wish to thank Dr. G. Case and staff of York County hospital for their kindness to me, also relatives, neighbors and friends for their gift flowers, fruit, candy and get-well cards, and the many kind inquiries during my stay in the hospital.

Geo. W. Constable

**CARD OF THANKS**  
I wish to thank my friends and neighbors who sent cards, letters, boxes of fruit and candy to me during my stay in the hospital. Everything was sincerely appreciated.

Mrs. Jos. Cooper

**ENGAGEMENTS**

Mr. and Mrs. W. Blizzard, Newmarket wish to announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Dorothy Mae, to Mr. Howard Edwards, son of Mrs. R. Edwards, Sharon, the wedding to take place Saturday, Feb. 28.

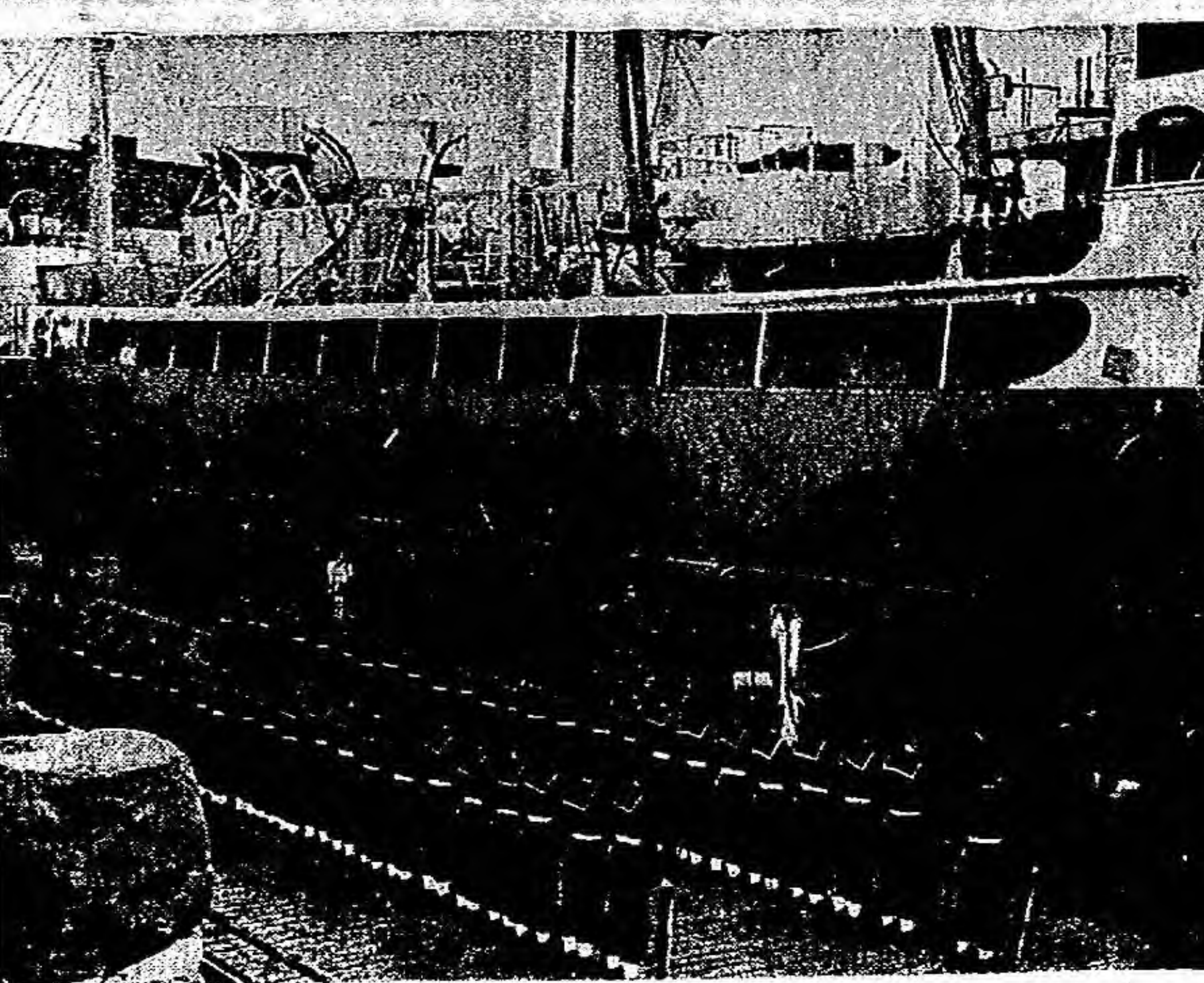
**BUSINESS WOMAN TO BE SPEAKER AT B AND P DINNER**

Mrs. Helen Tierney, Toronto, will be the guest speaker at International Night of the Newmarket Business and Professional Women's club when the group holds a dinner meeting at the King George hotel on Monday, Feb. 16 at 6:45 p.m. Members of the B and P club in Aurora and Richmond Hill will join with the Newmarket group for the evening.

Mrs. Tierney will speak on "Toward Full Partnership". Mrs. Tierney is the director of women personnel for the Insurance company of North America, on the management committee of the Community Chest and is a member of the Regional Advisory council of the National Employment Service, Community activities and the participation of women in all phases of community life, interests of Mrs. Tierney, are reflected in her topic for the evening.

Brown rice is more nutritive than polished white rice because in its surface layer are the vitamins and minerals that make it so valuable as a food.

## BEGINS NEW ROLE AS APPRENTICE TRAINING ESTABLISHMENT



A former maintenance ship, the 10,000-ton Flamborough Head was recommissioned the HMCS Cape Breton in a stirring ceremony seen above, in Halifax. The second ship of the RCN to bear the name, she is also the first ship of the Canadian navy to be commanded by an engineer officer, Commander E. W. Clarke of Vancouver. The navy will begin a new venture on the Cape Breton, which will be used as an apprentice technical training establishment for naval personnel. The first to start on new training scheme will be the artificer apprentices seen above forming guard of honor before dais on which stood wife of Commodore W. W. Porteous, superintendent of HMC Dockyard, Halifax, who was accorded the honor of renaming the ship.

## Married In Newmarket In 1903, Celebrate Golden Anniversary

February 10, 1903, had special weather for the marriage of May Graves, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Graves of Shrubmount, near Newmarket, and William A. Carson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Carson, Elgin Mills, Vaughan township, who were wedded at the parsonage of the Christian church, Newmarket, by the bride's uncle, Rev. Dan Prosser.

"We had difficulty finding enough snow to use our spick and span cutter, drawn by a high spirited bay mare, for our honeymoon trip. So we went north, where the snow was more plentiful, and for three wonderful weeks, we visited among relatives. Everywhere we went, there were dinner parties and we returned home, laden with wedding gifts."

"More than that, it didn't cost us a cent, not even the feed for our horse," chuckled Mr. Carson, who is one of King City's village trustees. "We travelled 65 miles with the horse, to Victoria Road, Victoria County, where Mrs. Carson was born."

Tuesday, February 10, 1953, was an equally fine day for the golden wedding anniversary, when the couple gave an "at home" afternoon and evening, and were surrounded by relatives, friends and neighbors. Over 160 attended. Among the guests was Mrs. Graves, now 85, of Sharon. The six grandchildren, children of Mr. and Mrs. Ewart Patton (Verna Carson) were present, and Edward Carson, of Aurora, who was his brother's groomsman.

The house was a profusion of daffodils and other variety of flowers, all gifts, while wedding gifts and congratulatory cards were very numerous. Mrs. Patton and her sister, Mrs. Jack Cliff received with their parents. The couple received daffodils from the W.M.S. and cups and saucers from the W.A. of the church. Mrs. Carson chose a black dress and corsage of pink and white carnations. Her daughters, Mrs. Carson's sisters and her sister-in-law, and the nieces who served, all wore corsages. Members of their family gave them a walnut mantel clock.

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## News Of The W.I.

News for this column must be in the office Monday night. Copy must be written as briefly as possible and confined to news and reports. Other than routine reports and announcements will be printed separately.

The community activities and public relations committee, convened by Mrs. D. M. Houston, is in charge of the program for the Newmarket branch meeting on Thursday, Feb. 19. The meeting will be held in the club rooms at 2:30 p.m.

Union Street branch met at the home of Mrs. W. Micks on Thursday afternoon, Feb. 5. There were 35 members and six visitors present. Mrs. A. Sedore gave a suitable reply to the motto, "Each generation is a trustee for the generation to follow." Many interesting comments were given in answer to the roll call, "Household economy in grandmother's day."

An invitation to visit the Elmhurst Institute was accepted, the meeting to be held on Wednesday, March 4, at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Pollock.

The project, "Brighten your home with color" will be held in Sharon hall on Tuesday afternoon, March 10. The Sharon Institute will also be there. An invitation was received from the Newmarket Institute to attend a euchre to be held in the fire hall on February 19, proceeds to be used for the Institute rest room.

A donation of \$50 is being sent to the overseas Flood Victims' Fund, also a donation of \$25 to York County Hospital, Newmarket.

Mrs. O. Diceman was convener of the program and lead in singing "Grandfather's Clock." Mrs. A. Sedore gave a reading. Mrs. Frank Perry read a poem and Miss Edith Diceman played two solos on the guitar. Current events were read by Mrs. Vokes, also a poem.

Mrs. Woodward read a poem and Mrs. Diceman read an article on grandmother's washday, followed by a contest. The winners were: first, Mrs. Vokes; second, Mrs. D. Beckett; third, Evelyn English. After the singing of God-Save the Queen, a dainty lunch was served.

Each Brownie and Guide brings her mother as a guest to the banquet. In the event of illness or other similar circumstances preventing a mother from attending or in the case of families with several girls in Guides and Brownies, the girl may invite an aunt or friend of her family to replace her mother at the banquet.

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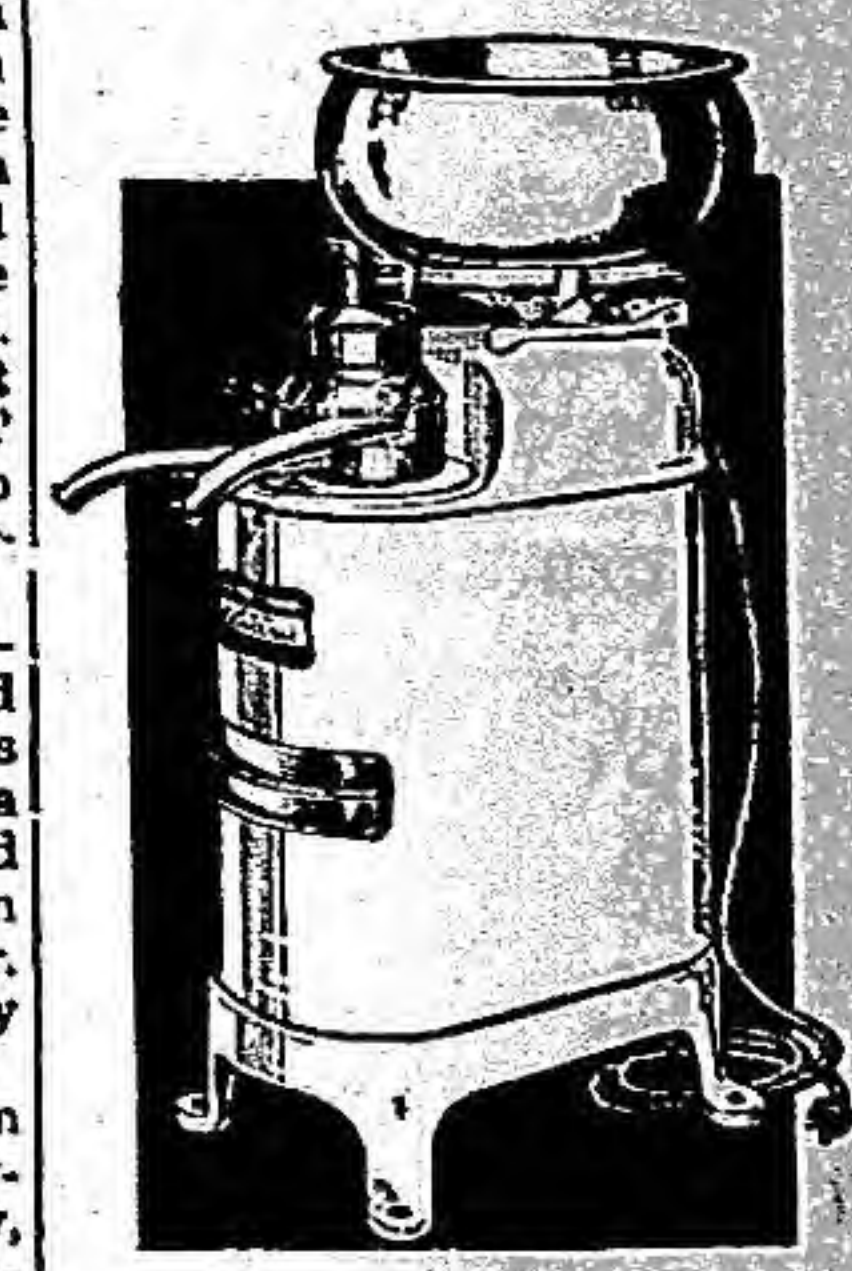
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## Easier Skimming

WITH YOUR Massey-Harris No. 11 ELECTRIC

## SEPARATOR



Here is a labour-saving, close-skimming separator specially designed for economical electrical operation. You get simple, direct motor-to-spindle drive, heavy gauge unware, beautiful baked white enamel cabinet plus reliable cream separation.

## QUALITY FEATURES

1. No oil to change.
2. No gears to wear.
3. No crank to turn.
4. Massey-Harris Patented Film Flow Bowl.
5. Six point distribution of milk utilizes entire disc area.
6. Tested for skimming efficiency.

## Ward & Allan Co.,

MASSEY-HARRIS SALES - SERVICE  
Davis Drive W.  
Newmarket phone 861

## Farm Forum News

Newmarket East Farm Forum held its meeting on Monday, Feb. 9, at the home of Mr. Wm. Bales, to discuss the use of "credit facilities" by farmers.

One group of the forum decided it was not good business to invest so much credit in machinery but should invest more in livestock and seeds, which would bring more profit. The other groups thought it a good idea to invest in machinery as it gets the work done faster, easier and helps to hold their sons on the farm.

It also helps to interest competent help. Borrowing to buy livestock is not necessary, they said, as livestock will reproduce themselves. Livestock prices can fluctuate so rapidly, that cattle valued at \$1,000 at the start of the loan could drop to a value of \$500 in a few weeks.

It is good business for the farm family to use credit when it is needed to engage in ventures which would increase the income and standard of living, such as increasing acreage, improving seeds and buildings, it was felt.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mr. Herb Wright.

Mount Albert forum met at the home of Murray Stokes, with 18 members present to discuss "How To Use Farm Credit".

They decided that lack of labor was the main reason for loans on farm implements, instead of livestock. The different methods of farming today demand more machinery, they said. The forum thinks trucks in some cases are more of a luxury than essential.

The farm family should use credit when growing a cash crop or using fertilizers to help produce, but not on expensive non-essential machinery. Credit should be used for building up the soil by use of fertilizers or putting in a pressure system to supply the house and barn with water.

The next meeting is to be held at the home of Bill Errington.

## Newmarket Era and Express MAIL YOUR CLASSIFIED AD USE THIS HANDY ORDER BLANK

A Newmarket Era and Express classified advertisement is the quickest way to turn that discarded article into cash. Now is the time to dispose of skates, cookstove, furniture, washing machine, fur coat, farm implements, livestock, etc.

Write your classified ad in the space below. Put your address or phone number - or both - in the ad. If you want a Box Number there will be an additional charge of 15 cents to have replies forwarded to you or 10 cents if replies are picked up at the Era and Express office. The cost of your ad. will be 2 cents a word, minimum of 50 cents for each advertisement. Half price if ad. is repeated on successive weeks.

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Mail this classified ad. order to: The Newmarket Era and Express, Newmarket, Ont. Phone: Newmarket 780.



# LOBLAWS

**COTTAGE BRAND — WHITE**  
**LOBLAWS**  
**VITAMIN ENRICHED**  
**DATED DAILY**  
**BREAD**  
**14c**  
 SLICED & UNSLICED 24-OZ. LOAF  
 YOU KNOW IT'S FRESH  
 IT'S DATED DAILY

**CROSBY & BLACKWELL**  
**Brantford Pickle** 9-FL. OZ. JAR **35c**  
**Meinaz Tomato Soup** 2 16-FL. OZ. TINS **27c**  
**Pimento Manzanilla** 12-FL. OZ. JAR **47c**  
**Libbys Olives** 24-FL. OZ. JAR **29c**  
**ATLANTA PURE**  
**Danison Plum Jam** 24-FL. OZ. JAR **29c**  
**RED LABEL**  
**Liptons Black Tea** 1/2-LB. TON **48c**  
**VI-Tone** 8-OZ. TON **44c**  
**REGULAR**  
**Margomo Margarine** 1-LB. CTN. **39c**

**SAVE** *Fruits & Vegetables*  
**OUTSTANDING VALUE!**  
 FULL OF HEALTH-GIVING JUICE  
 FLORIDA THIN-SKINNED SEEDLESS  
**GRAPEFRUIT**  
 EXTRA LARGE 5 FOR **33c**  
 64 - 70 SIZE  
**CALIFORNIA MAVER RICH FLAVOUR**  
**Seedless Oranges** SIZE 238 DOZ. **37c**  
**CALIFORNIA EMPRESS CRISP CRUNCHY**  
**Red Grapes** 2 LB. **35c**  
**SNOW-WHITE DEWY FRESH**  
**Carrots** GOOD SIZE EACH **29c**  
**CALIFORNIA GARDEN FRESH FULL OF FLAVOUR**  
**Green-Top Carrots** 2 LARGE ORIGINAL BUNCHES **19c**  
**FLORIDA FRESH BARS—THEY'RE RED! THEY'RE TASTY!**  
**New Potatoes** 3 LB. **29c**

**PLAIN or HIPPY**  
**Maple Leaf Cheese** 1/2-LB. PKG. **29c**  
**Devils Delicacies** 2-OZ. PKG. **21c**  
**Kraft French Dressing** 8-FL. OZ. BTL. **31c**  
**REAL LEMON**  
**Wares Pie Filling** 8-OZ. PKG. **15c**  
**WETWAYS**  
**Bread & Butter Pickles** 16-FL. OZ. JAR **31c**  
**RIBWAYS**  
**5 O'Clock Tea** 1/2-LB. PKG. **58c**  
**JERSEY BRAND**  
**Hollands Cocoa** 1/2-LB. TIN **39c**  
**BESCHWOOD**  
**Beef & Vegetables** WITH GRAVY 16-OZ. TIN **37c**  
**Clarke Irish Stew** 12-FL. OZ. TIN **29c**  
**Oxo Cubes** 6-CUBE PKG. **15c**  
**Oxo Fluid** 8-FL. OZ. BTL. **43c**  
**FANCY HONEYPOD**  
**Stokelys Peas** 12-FL. OZ. TIN **18c**  
**VITAMIN ENRICHED**  
**Monarch Pastry Flour** 7-LB. BAG **54c**  
**TANGY OLD**  
**Loblaws White Cheese** POUND **57c**  
**LOBLAWS ALPINE CLUB**  
**Ginger Ale** OR LIME RICKETY 2 24-FL. OZ. BTL. PLUS DEPOSIT **31c**  
**Saratoga Potato Chips** 5-OZ. PKG. **30c**  
**FANCY**  
**Grand Valley Tomato Juice** 2 24-FL. OZ. TINS **23c**

**SPECIAL! LOBLAWS**  
**ICED BANANA CAKE** EACH **35c**  
 A QUALITY PRODUCT OF THE LOBLAW BAKERY  
**SPECIAL! MCMORRIS BISCUITS**  
**PARTY CREAMS** 1-LB. CELLO BAG **33c**  
**LOBLAWS FRESHLY GROUND**  
**PRIDE of ARABIA COFFEE** POUND BAG **93c**  
**LOBLAWS FRESHLY GROUND**  
**TWO CUP COFFEE** POUND BAG **88c**  
**LOBLAWS 100% PURE**  
**PRIDE of ARABIA INSTANT COFFEE** 5-OZ. JAR **59c**  
**SPECIAL! A ST. VALENTINE CANDY**  
**CONVERSATIONAL LOZENGES** 18-OZ. CELLO BAG **27c**  
**QUEEN ANNE CHOCOLATES** 1-LB. BOX **87c**

**SAVE** *TALK OF THE TOWN*  
**Values**  
**Serve Pancakes on**  
**Shrove Tuesday, Feb. 17**  
**SPECIAL! PANCAKE OR BUCKWHEAT**  
**Aunt Jemima Flour** 20-OZ. PKG. **19c**  
**SPECIAL!**  
**Aunt Jemima Pancake Flour** 3 1/2-LB. BAG **45c**  
**SPECIAL! GROVES**  
**Pure Maple Syrup** 16-OZ. BOTTLE **43c**  
**SPECIAL!**  
**Monarch Cheese** 1-LB. BABY ROLL **37c**  
**SPECIAL! PURE SEVILLE ORANGE**  
**Aylmer Marmalade** 24-FL. OZ. JAR **27c**  
**SPECIAL! CHOICE AUSTRALIAN SULTANA STYLE**  
**Seedless Raisins**  
**1-LB. CELLO BAG** **19c** **2-LB. CELLO BAG** **35c**

**Beehive Corn Syrup** 2-LB. TIN **31c**  
**Crown Brand Corn Syrup** 2-LB. TIN **31c**  
**MO. 1 PURE WHITE PASTEURIZED**  
**Booklist Liquid Honey** 12-FL. OZ. JAR **25c**

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 20 MAGNIFICENT VOLUMES PER VOLUME **89c**  
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**OGILVIE PRODUCTS**  
**VITAMIN ENRICHED**  
**Ogilvie Flour** 5-LB. BAG **35c**  
**Ogilvie Minute Oats** 2 14-OZ. PKGS. **23c**  
**Ogilvie Minute Oats** 48-OZ. LGE. PKG. **34c**  
**Ogilvie Vita-3 Cereal** 24-OZ. PKG. **33c**  
**Ogilvie Wheatbuds** 16-OZ. CELLO PKG. **15c**  
**Ogilvie Scotch Oatmeal** 22-OZ. PKG. **24c**  
**CHOCOLATE & GOLD**  
**Ogilvie Cake Mix** 16-OZ. PKG. **35c**  
**SILVER**  
**Ogilvie Cake Mix** 16-OZ. PKG. **33c**

**SAVE** *on Quality*  
**Meats**  
**LOBLAW QUALITY BEEF**  
**PRIME RIB** Roast - choice, short cut, first 5 ribs **1-LB. 59c**  
**SHORT RIB ROAST** Choice **1-LB. 45c**  
**BLADE ROAST** Choice, blade bone removed **1-LB. 45c**  
**BONELESS SHOULDER** Roast, lean **1-LB. 45c**  
**BRISKET PLATE** Lean, boneless **1-LB. 45c**

**PRE-DRESSED**  
**BOILING BOWL** CHOICE GRADE "A" **1-LB. 59c**  
 PRE-DRESSED BOWL COSTS NO MORE—NO HEAD, FEET OR INSIDE WASTE IN WHAT YOU BUY

**Pork Tenderloin** CHOICE **1-LB. 89c**  
**Frankfurters** SWIFT PREMIUM CELLO PKG. **39c**  
**SPECIAL! CHOICE SEA FOODS — READY TO COOK**  
**SOLE FILLETS** **1-LB. 59c**  
**CHOICE**  
**CHD FILLETS** **1-LB. 35c**  
**CHOICE**  
**Haddock Fillets** **1-LB. 52c**  
**CHOICE**  
**Ocean Perch Fillets** **1-LB. 47c**  
**CHOICE**  
**Smoked Fillets** **1-LB. 47c**  
 A LARGER VARIETY AVAILABLE IN SUPERMARKETS

**INTERLAK**  
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## IT'S A Woman's World

BY CAROLINE ION

Radio newscasts and the daily papers have carried stories of the flood disasters in England and Holland. Even with the word pictures and the photographs of the destruction, it is difficult for us in our comfortable homes in Ontario to visualize the nightmare that life has suddenly become for thousands of families. What do the words "flood", "inundate" or "havoc" mean to us? We have never experienced them.

For these many English and Dutch families they have ceased to be words describing a situation in a newspaper account. They have become as real to them as the members of their own families. One day they owned their homes. They worried about the payment on the piano or began to plan the spring planting. The next day, their house, its furnishings and all their material possessions were gone. The land was covered with salt water. In many instances, mother, father or brothers and sisters have not survived.

Can we understand their suffering? After years of war or, as in the case of Holland, enemy occupation; after years of food scarcities and rigidly controlled diet; after years of frugal living, both as individuals and as nations, they had begun to see a better day ahead. Now for whole sections of these countries,

all has been destroyed. In this district will be many who have lost kinfolk. To them we extend our sympathy. But to all who have been enveloped in this cloak of disaster we must give more than our sympathy. We must give them material help. Words of reassurance and comfort are needed. Clothing, food, medical supplies and the money to purchase these and many more necessities can be our practical expression of brotherly love.

As individuals we can give to the fund being established for the flood victims in Holland and England. The Newmarket council, under the direction of Bob McGuire, has led the way and the town office has been designated as the quarters to which financial donations may be forwarded. Town Clerk, Wesley Brooks, has been authorized to accept such contributions.

Leadership for Newmarket and district has been provided by the town council for our practical, immediate assistance in this emergency. Within the next few weeks most local groups, service clubs, church and veterans' organizations, community associations, schools, factories and businesses will participate actively in the local project. "Charity never faileth."

## EQUIP REST ROOM FOR HOSP. NURSES

The equipping of a nurses' rest room in York County hospital will be the project undertaken for this year by the York County Nurses' association. The decision was reached at the group's annual meeting on Feb. 3.

Decorations convener for the plan is Mrs. R. Rogers, Sharon. Assisting the membership convener, Miss L. Thomas in contacting all members regarding this matter are Mrs. Howard Fry for Newmarket, Mrs. W. J. Devins for Aurora and Mrs. W. E. MacPherson for Mt. Albert and Queensville.

To secure funds, each member of the Nurses' association will hold a bridge party (one table). A charge of 50 cents a person will be made by each hostess.

## EVANGELINE AUXILIARY

The members of the Evangeline auxiliary, Trinity United church, Newmarket, gathered on Feb. 10 for the regular meeting. Mrs. M. J. Aiken led the worship service. Her theme was the means of grace as interpreted to us through the sacrament of the Lord's Supper. Dr. C. S. Gilbert's vocal solo was enjoyed by all.

Mrs. John Rutledge and Mrs. S. W. King gave excellent reports on the Presbyterian meeting held in Fairlawn United church, Toronto. A social half-hour followed the very instructive and interesting meeting.

## Needlecraft News

by Paulline Roy

IT SEEMS ALMOST EVERY WOMAN has a desire to make her own hats whether she starts from scratch or tries her hand at remaking last year's model. A hat is a poem, an indescribable item that can make or break your costume. If you find a becoming hat, you are immediately well dressed, attractive, admired and the lady of fashion you've always longed to be. On the other hand, an unbecoming hat can make you feel dull, dowdy, dreary and wonder if you really should be taking vitamins. It is your hat that announces Spring is on the way. The first hats of the season are fabrics, fabrics with straw trims, braid straws and flowers. They are fancy, feminine and becoming.



**Crocheted Hats**  
 The deeper crowns and cloche hats are very popular at present for they are comfortable, youthful and smart. This type of hat, or bonnet, can be easily made when knitted or crocheted from wool or cotton thread. Your hat can be dressed up or down according to your need. Color too plays an important role in deciding the type of hat you want yours to be. For instance, if you want to make a dressy crocheted hat, choose a dressy color like black, white, silver, gold or a pretty pastel... trim it with fancy buttons, veils or flowers. The same pattern can be made up in brown, dark green, rust, red or maroon and trimmed with leather buttons, tailored pins or quills for a sporty effect. You can enjoy making your own hats and trying new patterns. You'll be amazed at your creations and delighted with your ability.

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## CANCER SOCIETY SEEKS AID TO COLLECT MATERIAL

The Aurora and District unit of the Ontario division of the Canadian Cancer society has requested the help of the York County Hospital Women's auxiliary in the collection of material suitable for the making of dressings. Cotton, linen or flannelette are needed.

Such material as would be available in old sheets, pillow cases, tablecloths, flannelette blankets, would be most acceptable. There will be a box at the next general meeting of the Hospital auxiliary in March for a collection of this material. Members and friends are requested to bring donations of cotton, linen or flannelette to that meeting.

Donations of suitable material may be left at the Women's Institute Rest Room, Botsford St., Newmarket. Mrs. Hill, who is in attendance at the Rest Room daily, has offered to assist in this matter.

Mrs. R. B. Green in last week's Era and Express offered her home as the depot for the collection of material for cancer dressings. In view of the Hospital auxiliary's assistance it has been decided that the two places for collections, the Rest Room, Botsford St. and the March meeting of the Hospital auxiliary will be used rather than Mrs. Green's home.

## RE-ELECTED PRES. OF YORK COUNTY NURSES' ASSOC.

Miss Bertha Tunney was returned to office as the president of the York County Nurses' association when the annual meeting and election of officers was held at St. John's school on Tuesday, Feb. 3. Guest speaker was Miss Verna Smyth, supervisor of Public Health Nursing for York County Health unit.

In the absence of the secretary, Miss Kay McMillan, Mrs. R. Rogers acted. It was announced that some of the appraisal sheets for the civil defence course had not been returned. Everyone was urged to forward them to Miss Smyth immediately. A first aid course was considered for the future.

There was discussion on the Registered Nurses' association. Reference was made to National Health week and the film, "The Taking of Blood" was shown.

Miss Smyth spoke on "Emergency Feeding in Civil Defence". Following the business session a social half-hour was enjoyed during which lunch was served.

Those elected to office are: Pres., Miss Tunney; Vice Pres., Mrs. George McPherson; Sec., Mrs. R. Rogers; membership, Miss L. Thomas; refreshment, Mrs. R. Eoblichon; program, Miss V. Smyth; Corr. Sec., Miss Grace Johnston.

**MARRIAGE**  
**WALLEN-WOODCOCK**  
 The marriage was solemnized at the United church manse, Newmarket, by Rev. Mr. Aiken, Saturday, Jan. 24, of Hazel Margaret, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Woodcock, and Murray Keith Wallen, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard G. Wallen, of Unionville.

The bride wore a suit of grey gabardine with a mauve orchid corsage and harmonizing accessories. The bridesmaid was Miss Dorothy Wallen, the groom's sister, in navy suit with corsage of red roses and black accessories. A reception followed at the home of the groom's parents on the fifth concession of Markham. They will reside in Newmarket.

## Emergency Feeding Important Said Factor In Civil Defence

"Emergency Feeding in Civil Defence" was the topic of Miss Verna Smyth's talk to the York County Nurses' association on Feb. 3. In introducing her topic, Miss Smyth referred to the definition of health as set out by the World Health organization as a state of complete physical, mental and social well being and not merely the absence of disease or infirmity.

Miss Smyth reminded the members to have their annual medical examination and told of the importance of having other interests apart from their work.

The present disaster in England and Holland is sufficient evidence of the need for organization of emergency feeding. In times of trouble, food is of the utmost importance. It has been said that in Winnipeg during the floods of 1950, the serving of sandwiches and tea to the workers filling sandbags was a great morale builder.

In times of disaster, emergency food organization may be required within a few hours for infants, casualties and for the civil defence workers themselves. Such a service has an important psychological effect in calming panic and relieving tension among the disaster workers.

An administrative plan would be necessary to utilize the local resources in times of emergency. Organized and planned by the local defence group, it would take two phases, administrative and operational. In the first, the duties would involve the procurement of food supplies, equipment, fuel and water. In a target area, defence workers would be faced with the problem of food and water contamination and the disruption of public utilities.

In the operational phase, the preparation and serving of food would constitute the duties. A committee on food procurement might be set up. It could contact retailers, wholesalers, distributors, dairymen, hotel and restaurant men to determine

what supplies would be available within the district in the event of an emergency. The personnel of the local water and hydro departments, oil and coal dealers, hardware distributors and others should be included in any emergency planning program. Places where mass feeding might take place should be found.

The committee on emergency feeding might be drawn from the Red Cross, church groups, service clubs, community organizations or private individuals. The civil defence organization might take over the other duties.

The need for training people who could cook for large numbers in emergencies should be considered. The cooks already in the district should be contacted. In England, to gain experience, the women in the 60 age group are going into the big schools to do the lunches. Mobile food teams should be established.

There is no substitute for food. It is necessary in times of emergency as in ordinary circumstances to maintain life. Even a good cup of tea helps to build up morale in times of trouble.

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## A Week More In Town League

There is a week to go to conclude the Newmarket and district League schedule. Here's how the teams will finish: Mt. Albert first, Kettleby second, Regents third, Kettleby fourth. Winners Tuesday were Town Regents and Mount Albert.

Paced by Murray MacDonald's hat trick, Regents topped Vandon 7-1. Benefiting from fine goal-keeping by Bella Holder and five-goal scoring from the Sutton hot-shots, John Leary and Skip Taylor, Mount Albert beat Kettleby 9-5.

The fur flew in the Regents-Bruins clash as the teams sprinkled the hockey menu with assorted fistfights, jabbing, shoving and threatening gestures. Bob Smith added two goals, Mottis Thoms and Jack Staley one each to Murray MacDonald's three to put the Oilmen in the winners' circle.

Laurie Thoms, Cliff Gunn, Lowell Waller and Norm Legge were prominent figures in the assist column. Bill Grant, a return appearance in the Towners' cage, had his shutout intact until Russ Forfar tipped in Jim Preston's screened drive late in the final round.

Featured in the night cap tilt was the fact that Murray Edgar had only seven Mounties to dress. That gave Horace Berwick his chance and Horace, playing every position but goal, came through with his second goal of the season. Mount jumped away to a 4-1 first period lead and never looked back.

As for the Mount scoring, John Leary and Skip Taylor and Bruce Paisley boosted the Mount stock with two goal efforts. Keith Dunn and Horace Berwick were the other Mountie tallies. Ron Hodgson and Gene Rose were Kettleby big guns with a pair of goals each while Bruce Rose got into the act with a single sniping job.

### TROPHY OFFERED

The C. C. Wakefield Oil Co., through Bob Brown, their local dealer, has offered a trophy for the Newmarket and District hockey league's most valuable player. It is expected the team managers and coaches will make the selection of the player at the conclusion of the town league season.

# SPORT NEWS

## Haskett's HASH BY GEORGE HASKETT Newmarket Sports Editor



This is clean the desk week. It's beginning to look like Fibber McGee's cupboard. But before tackling that imposing chore, better tell you, and I do mean you, that our minor hockeyists are conducting an important twin-bill session with Collingwood at the arena tomorrow, Friday p.m.

Collingwood is scheduled to provide the first round O.M.H.A. opposition for our bantams and midgets. Let's show the laddies we're behind them with a full turnout. Believe me, they'll appreciate your moral and financial support. Fun gets cracking at 7.30.

Here's an early reminder. Chalk up Feb. 23 on your date book. Avros and Mahers of the Varsity League, featuring our own Hack Cain, Bill Thoms, Hughie Mair and Orrie Thoms, will be on hand at the local gardens for an exhibition game. All proceeds are earmarked for the flood fund.

The flood committee is going to roll out the barrel. It'll be waiting at the arena portals for your donations. Let's show 'em the Hub sportsmen never fall behind in supporting a worthy cause by filling the barrels with greenbacks. And again my friendlies, the date to remember is Monday, Feb. 23. Make it a must on your list.

**Town League T.V.** With a week to go it appears Mount Albert's Sutton helpers, John Leary and Skip Taylor will finish one-two in the scoring race. The winner picks up the Ray Smith Trophy. Bob Brown of the town league executive comes along with a most valuable player award, courtesy of the Wakefield Oil Co. Team coaches and managers will have to go into a gabfest to puzzle that one out. You know there wasn't a shut-out in the town league until last week when Bill Holder blanked Vandon. Who'll win the town crown? Don't look at me; it's a toss up. However since you request it, we'll gaze into the crystal ball and furnish the answer next week.

**Minor catnips:** Good omen for our local crews? Our North York League hockeyists, Schomberg, Richmond Hill and Nobleton have all won first round victories in the O.M.H.A. Schomberg ousted Washington, Bill White's Hill juveniles ousted Sutton and Bob Walton's Nobleton band knocked off Oak Ridges 18-0. The O.M.H.A. playdowns have wrecked temporarily plans to get the North York playoffs moving. Stouffville juveniles, eliminated by Bradford, have asked permission to play for the North York title. They were in the league earlier but the O.M.H.A. regrouped them with Bradford, Beeton and Bolton. Incidentally the North York Minor loop should be bigger and better than ever next year. Several more teams have already made enquiries about entering next season.

**Intermediate notes:** South section playoffs in the Big 8 open next week. It'll be Elmhurst vs Georgetown, Milton vs Oakville. Spits have three games to go with Collingwood before playoff time. We delved into some statistics lately. Spits are next to the top in the goal-getting department in the Big 8; the catch comes in the goals-against column where the locals are saddled with a big count. What's that indicate Mr. Morrison?

Murray MacDonald had a trial spin Monday with the Spits against Stouffville. Eddie Bush, suspended by O.H.A. until Feb. 28 left the O.H.A. moguls laughing. Eddie's parting quip was "we won't be back until we come for the cups and medals". Many a true word is spoken in jest; but he was too sure Eddie doesn't repeat again this year.

More notes: We object to the Toronto dailies saying Bob Forhan is an Aurora native. Just to put the record straight Bob graduated from the Hub school and minor hockey ranks and had one year under Charlie Rowntree's tutelage at Aurora.

Alan McNabb reports there are approximately 20 Hub curlers displaying their rock skill with the Bradford curling club. Wonder if we'll ever get a curling rink here? Ginger Pugh, our chief Aurora heckler, is the Aurora Town League's official scorer and Bill Mundell's right hand man on the score pad for the minor hockey sessions.

**Coronation year.** Arena manager Stan Smith has arena lights doused in big league style for the playing of "The Queen". It's very impressive. We'll pass along the sporting trade's sympathy to Spitfire Ken Broughton. Ken's father passed away this week.

### Mount Albert Bowling

Latest standing in the Mount Albert bowling league shows that Lorne Mainprize's Eskimos are leaders with 50 points.

Cubs have 48, Dodgers 45, Hurons 43, Wildcats 38, Bluebirds 36, Aces 35, Dead Enders 35, Pioneers 35, Bruins 33, Falcons 31, Pirates 31, Beavers 29, Tigers 27, Excelsiors 22 and Plutocrats 21.

In the ladies' division, high single was Dorothy Harper 268, Marg Green 256, Reta Parks 239; high triple, Dot Harper 630, Marg Green 617, Meta Parks 602; high average, Marg Green 168, Dot Harper 156, Ruth Simpson 153.

In the men's sector, high single was Jas. Storach 303, Bill Arnold 287, Merv Shaw 278; high triple, Jas. Storach 802, Murray Stokes 694, Geo. Price 687; high average, Murray Stokes 193.07, Geo. Price 193.97, Ern Davis 193.48, Geo. McPherson 193.33.

### LAKE SIMCOE JR. SEMIS

It's Mount Albert vs Queensville and Vivian vs Vandon in the Lake Simcoe Jr. Hockey League semis. Both playoff rounds will be settled on a best two-out-of-three basis.

Both series got underway last Thursday in the Queensville arena. Vandon and Vivian battled to a 5-all overtime tie while Mount Albert eased out a 5-4 win over Queensville. Bill Bennett, Jack Baber, Dick VanNostrand, Howard Williamson and Bob Stanley were Vandon goal-getters.

Ron Penke fired two while Doug Card, Norm Brown and Stan Pollard kicked in with a goal each for Vivian. Jim Cupples was Mount Albert's hot shot with four goal display. Ken Wagg added the Mounties' fifth kill shot. Don Graham furnished two goals, Ron Breen and Jim Miller one each for Queensville. The series resumes tonight (Thursday) in the Queensville arena.

### School Hockey League

Three shutouts and tidy struggles highlighted the Saturday School League contests. Redwings and Rangers deadlocked 0-0, Canadiens blanked Leafs 1-0 and Bruins tumbled Black Hawks 3-2 in the squirt division.

In pee-wee, Spitfires humbled Flyers 5-0 while Marlboros defeated Biltmores 3-1. Jimmy McDonald fired the shot and Larry Tunney set up the scoring play as Canadiens beat Leafs 1-0. It was the Canadiens' first win of the season. Keith Burling bagged two and Johnny Hodge nabbed a single tally as Bruins edged Hawks.

Wayne Greenfield had polished around the net to score both Hawk replies. The win moved the Bruins up into a first place tie with the Leafs. In pee-wee, Terry Budd had zip on the attack to rate a hat trick while Ian Dick and Johnny Hopper socked in a goal each as Spitfires blasted Flyers 5-0. It was the Spit's first triumph.

Don "Hurricane" Bone snaffled two vital goals and Geo Robertson collected one as Marlboros got into the thick of the play-off hunt with a 3-1 win over Biltms. Ron Bray rattled the twine for the Biltms.

**Bears Win Over Midland**

Aurora Bears put a clutch hold on a playoff berth in the O.H.A. Jr. C group Friday when they came through with a pleasing 5-2 win over Roy Conacher's Midland Redwings. Midland was first off the mark.

The Aurora rear-guard went to sleep momentarily at the six-minute mark and Bill Kettle jammed the boot heel past Joey Burke. The Bears came roaring back to raid the cash register for three goals in the closing eight minutes of the period to get in line to claim the win.

Here's how that first period went. Bob Veale netted a Nobby Ash relay, Al Williams tipped in a Pepper Martin pass up and Bob Hanna lashed in a screened drive after Artie Barber supplied the pass. Bears outshot the invaders 11-6 so their edge was deserved.

Only the sharp shot blocking of Murray Jellifco kept Midland from being dropped further behind the eight ball. Midland hit fast in the second period. Murray York scored in the first minute to slice the Bears' lead to a single goal at 3-2.

That was the last time the visitors developed business for the score-keeper as Bob Hanna, Andy Closs and Geo. Dempsey furnished iron curtain protection for Joey Burke. Bill Maguire's goal in the second, on which Al Williams did the work and Pepper Martin's slap shot that picked a corner in the dying minutes, were the Bears' clinching markers.

Both Pepper Martin and Al Williams kicked in with one of their best efforts of the season. Nobby Ash, who worked both up front and on the rear-guard, was up for this game and for the first time in quite a spell the Closs-Rowntree speed line of Joe Gasco, Bobbs Cook and Grant Edwards missed the scoring boat.

### MARRIED IN NEWMARKET

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active person at 77 and his wife, equally active, is nearing 75. They have been life-long workers in the United Church, where Mr. Carson has held most of its offices and has an honorary position now. His wife has been a member of the Women's Missionary work for 50 years and was made a life member by her auxiliary last summer.

Mr. Carson has been a village trustee for eight years, and was instrumental in establishing the waterworks system in the village of King and is superintendent of this department.

## Barrie Blasts Spits 9-3

Hap Emms' Barrie Flyers got a six goal scoring blast rolling in the third period to dump Newmarket Spitfires 9-3 at the home arena Thursday. It was the Flyers' third win over the Morrisonmen this season in exhibition tilts.

It was a three-all game until Barrie uncorked their devastating third period drive. Bill Johnston scored twice with some tricky stick-handling to get the pace for the Spits. Bill Mabbett socked in Spits' other marker.

Don Smith was top assist man with two while Grant Winters

and Don Gibson got into the helper class with one each. Wingman Fred Pletsch paced Barrie onslaught with a four goal caper while Orv Tessier, Jim Robertson, Bill Sexton, John Marton and Ralph Willis added to the Spits' consternation with single sniping efforts.

Barrie outshot the locals 44 to 25 with Ken Tupling doing valuable shot stopping and getting good protection from Jack Andrews, Les Clarke, Al Shewchuk and Ross Hochberg in the first two rounds to stay on even terms with the high powered invaders.

## Squashed In Collingwood

There as still some loyal Spitfire fans who insist their favourite hockey team can take Collingwood Shipbuilders in the Builders' "sides around the bay" arena. But after looking at the Spits absorb a punishing 10-3 walloping last week, that loyal band has been reduced quite a lot in numerical strength.

Spits were never in this game. Before the fans had settled comfortably, Builders were 2-0 leaders on Robbie Sandell's quickly triggered tallies and the Bushmen were up 3-1 before round one was over.

Any ideas the Spits harbored of getting back in the game, were squashed completely in the

middle period as Collingwood punched home five unanswered goals in the early sparring.

Spits scored at a goal a period clip. Les Clark got the first one on a long shot, Don Smith cleared in a Ken Broughton, Bill Johnson relay and Smitty contracted for a two goal night, dunking Don Gibson's pass behind Reggie "Stonewall" Westbrook for Spits' third. Robbie Sandell concluded a hat trick night with the Builders' close-up tally. Jack Cochrane and Barney Walmsley joined in the free scoring show with a pair of goals each while Frank Dance, Cal Patterson and Charlie Fryer lashed in a goal each in the Builders' cause.

## Temperanceville

Members of Temperanceville W. I. are invited to attend a spring fashion show at Kettleby United church hall on Wednesday, Feb. 18, at 8 p.m., held under the auspices of Kettleby Women's Institute. We would appreciate our car drivers supplying transportation for any neighbors and friends who wish to attend this interesting event.

The postponed February meeting of the Temperanceville W.I. will be held at the home of Mrs. Fred Hare on Feb. 25.

On Feb. 27, at 8 p.m., the community will have the opportunity of seeing another film showing at the school house.

On Feb. 3 the following persons attending the fortnightly euchre were prize winners:

Ladies' first, Mrs. Robert Ball and Miss Shirley Hare; consolation, Mrs. Everett Phillips; gents' first, Gilbert Jennings and Howard Clark; consolation, Robert Ash. Appreciation is extended to Roy Folliott for donating all the prizes.

Temperanceville deeply regrets the illness of the minister, Rev. E. C. Muddle and pray for his speedy recovery.

Mr. Roland Muddle conducted the service in the absence of his father. Appreciation is also extended to the choir with Miss Cunningham and Mrs. M. E. McClure taking special parts in the

anthem and Mrs. Wm. Hudson as soloist for the evening.

Police were called to Temperanceville school house Monday morning when it was found to have been broken into. The intruders had entered by a small door used for putting fuel in the basement. Gaining entrance to the classroom by pulling off the door locks, the thieves took the radio and ransacked the teacher's desk. Strange and King schools were broken into the same night.

The christening of John Paul Van Nostrand, son of Mr. and Mrs. VanNostrand, took place in the Aurora Anglican church last Sunday. We recall with interest, that Mrs. VanNostrand was the former Betty Jennings of this community. John Paul had three great grandparents present: Mrs. John Jennings, Mr. Walter Bovair and Mrs. Hillary. His grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jennings and Dr. and Mrs. F. H. Van Nostrand, also attended.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lloyd had dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Phillips on Saturday.

Mrs. Herbert Howell, St. George, spent two days as guest of Mrs. Fred Boys.

Mrs. Earl Mullett and Marie were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Levison last Sunday.

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### Smoke Ring Bantams Win, Optimidgets Lose In Collingwood Set

Newmarket has one hockey team that can win in Collingwood. It's our Gorman Smoke Ring bantams. Wednesday the Smoke Rings, dishing up in championship style, upended the bantam Builders 7-2. That means the Smoke Rings will have a five goal lead to carry into game two of the goals-to-count series here tomorrow night.

Collingwood scored in the first nine seconds but from there on it was a Smoke Rings show. Dan Patrick and Francis Lewis paced the Smoke Rings' charge with a pair of goals while Jack Brooks, Ron Egan and Lorne Babcock bagged a tally each. Wayne Spence, Brian Million and Don Zogalo got into the scoring act with assists. Larry Proctor checkedmate the Builders with some sparkling saves.

The news was not good on the Optimist midgets' go against Collingwood. Collingwood upset our hopefuls 6-1 on the strength of a four goal spurt in the middle round. That means Optimists must overhaul a five goal deficit here tomorrow night if they intend sticking in the O.M.H.A. playdowns.

Optimidgets were below par for this one. You can play better hockey boys. You're not beaten by any means. You can come back and win this series. There's an old saying that if they can get six goals at home you can get them here.

Bill Forhan tipped in a Bill Cain, Earl Lothian relay for the Optimists' one goal. Although beaten six times, Alan Childs rated starring honors in our cage.

### INTERNATIONAL WHEAT CONFERENCE OPENS IN WASHINGTON



Negotiators from 46 countries have arrived in Washington, D.C., to work out a new international agreement to control the amount and price of wheat moving in free world trade. Shown at the opening session of the international wheat conference, are from left: Edwin McCarthy, Australia's delegate and vice-chairman of the conference; True D. Morse, undersecretary of agriculture, U.S. delegate; Eugene Dumont of France, advisor to the French delegation; Sheed Anderson, Britain's delegate; G. H. Janton, alternate delegate from France; and M. W. Sharp, delegate from Canada.



Gilbert McMillan, right, President of the Dairy Farmers of Canada, receives a Thunderbird Totem Pole, at the annual banquet of his organization in Vancouver. The Thunderbird was the gift of the Fraser Valley Milk Producers Association. A. H. Mercer, general-manager, is shown making the presentation.

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WEDNESDAY EVENING, Feb. 18, Opti-Mrs. sponsoring a Minstrel Show in the Town Hall. Talent from Toronto.

FRIDAY, FEB. 20, Meeting of Relief Committee at Council Chambers, at 8 p.m. All interested organizations or individuals are urged to attend.

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# Rotary Club's \$300 Gift To Recreation Commission For Playground Equipment

"Where are the old familiar faces?" We thought of those wistful words in one of Charles Lamb's essays when we attended a recreation commission meeting on Thursday night, Feb. 5, after an absence of several weeks. Not only had some of the old members departed, but the presidential chair itself had a new occupant.

Unless there are substantial reasons for that, we are sure that the faces we missed were the Rev. George Purchase and Councillor Corbett, two former members of the commission who had a fine record for punctual and regular attendances. The Rev. Purchase decided to retire. Mr. Corbett did likewise from council. He has been succeeded by Councillor Vic Jones, as council's representative, who formerly did very valuable work for the commission.

Don Glass has done invaluable work for the commission. We have often in the past found good reasons for praising his ability as an organizer and as a good chairman. A year ago he asked to be allowed to retire, for the reason that he felt one man should not continue to act as chairman for too long a period. When he was voted back to the chair he said he would accept only on the condition that in 1953 a new chairman would replace him. That has now been done.

His successor, Dick Buchanan, is one of the originators of the Aurora recreation commission. His best-known contemporary on the commission was T. F. Swindle, who retired some time ago and was honored with a life membership and a framed scroll as testimonials from his colleagues of the great services he had rendered to the community through the commission. It was fitting that on Thursday the commission made Mr. Corbett, in tribute to the work he has done, an honorary member of their body.

Mr. Buchanan is, of course, thoroughly familiar with all the work of the commission. We have never known him absent from any of its meetings that we have attended. We should not be surprised to learn that he has the highest attendance record of any member of the commission. It was in the nature of things that he was elected to the chair and we wish him every success in his new and important position.

The Aurora recreation commission has achieved great success and conferred a great number of recreational benefits on the community. Its work is concerned mainly with the interests of the young, though the claims of the elderly, in recreational matters, and the shut-ins are not neglected. It is an organization whose activities are entirely free of graft or self-interest.

A memorable highlight of last Thursday night's meeting was the gift of the large sum of \$300 from the Aurora Rotary club. Rotarian Bob Gundy came to the meeting and on behalf of the

Rotary club, handed a cheque for that amount to chairman Buchanan. It was a truly magnificent gift, made possible through the aggressive peanut drive which the Rotary club carried through last year. \$300 is a lot of money to raise by the efforts of a local service club and we think that most people will agree that the members of the Rotary club are deserving of the highest commendation for their magnificent donation.

Mr. Gundy made the presentation in modest language and briefly. He handed a letter from the secretary of the club, Rotarian C. Delahay, in which it was specified that the money should be devoted to the purchase of playground equipment for the children. For this outstanding gift, chairman Buchanan expressed the thanks of the commission in suitable terms.

We could be wrong; but we believe the gift of \$300 is by far the largest sum that has been handed over by any local club or organization for purely community activities. The Aurora Rotary club is young but it has certainly "gone places" since its inception. We have no hesitation in describing its gift to the Recreation commission as a wonderful event in community welfare in Aurora.

**Another Highlight**

A personal highlight of the meeting was the attendance of Mr. J. Eilbeck, from the Community Programs department of the education department of the provincial government, from which Recreation commissions derive their annual grants. Mr. Eilbeck was present in order to elucidate problems in the work of the commission. He took occasion to pay tribute to the most successful work being carried on by the Aurora commission.

We have no personal acquaintance with Mr. Eilbeck, which leaves us free to say that he impressed us as a most competent departmental representative. Without fuss or affectation, he displayed a most intimate and wide understanding of his job. He talked freely on the work of recreation commissions, what they could do and could not do, and he answered all questions raised with an easy and ready facility.

Besides this knowledge of his job, Mr. Eilbeck revealed himself as a most likeable man. In him the Community Program department has a most efficient representative with a pleasing and convincing personality.

**Routine Work**

A considerable amount of routine work was carried through during the evening, including considerable correspondence, financial statements and reports from chairmen of committees. All of these testified to the very successful, worth-while activities in which the commission is engaged.

Among the members of the commission present at the meeting were the following: chairman, J. E. Buchanan; Les Steadman, vice-chairman; Don Glass; Councillors Davidson, Jones and Murray; and S. C. King, J. O'ford and the secretary-treasurer, W. Harvey Bell.

## TO HELP THE SUFFERING

# Mayor Initiates Relief Fund Harris Concert Friday Night

In an effort to alleviate the suffering caused by unprecedented floods, the mayor, Dr. Crawford Rose, has inaugurated an Overseas Flood Relief Fund, with drives for funds being made by the churches and other town organizations, including the junior chamber of commerce, the Lions and Rotary clubs.

Mr. George Fish, manager of the Imperial bank, and Mr. A. C. Weik, manager of the Bank of Montreal, have agreed to act as treasurers for the fund.

At the United church on Friday, Feb. 13, Mr. Iltyd Harris will give a concert recital. Those taking part will be the high school choral groups, the public school choir, the Aurora junior church choir and pupils, under the conductorship of Mr. Harris. The concert will begin promptly at 8.15 p.m.

The devastation and suffering caused by the floods, the worst that have occurred for centuries, have evoked universal sympathy for the sufferers, and it is confidently believed that the financial response from Aurora, under the sponsorship of numerous workers and organizations, will be of record-breaking dimensions.

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## EDITORIALS

### ARROGANCE REBUFFED

To submit the name of Mr. W. S. Mills for a three-year term on the planning board, in all the circumstances that have been made public, was sheer arrogance. Since Dr. C. R. Boulding, the chairman of the board, sponsored the nomination of Mr. Mills by an appearance at council while the matter was being discussed, he must be indicted in this act of arrogance. In our experience the extent of such arrogance is unmatched.

A member of a subsidiary council body resigns his office while a year of its tenure is still uncompleted; and in the process of resignation reprimands the mayor and members of council for alleged impropriety in the conduct of business and a basic error in administration; is invited to reconsider resignation; then proceeds to reaffirm the resignation and in so doing repeats his castigation; following all of which he is nominated for a further term of three years' service.

Such a nomination in such circumstances would be farcical if more important issues had not been at stake. As we see it, the election of Mr. Mills in the circumstances concerned would have made a laughing-stock of the town council. Such an election would have involved the admission that the reprimands inflicted on the mayor and council were both justifiable and acceptable. The authority of council would have been submerged in a triumph on the part of one recalcitrant member of the planning board.

We are profoundly glad that the mayor and four members of council saw the situation in its true colors and refused to be wordily browbeaten into an ignominious surrender. We equally regret that the reeve, deputy-reeve and two members of council were prepared to accept such proposed humiliation. The incident has provided the citizens with a close-up revelation of the mentality of a section of the Aurora Planning board.

### BETTER LIGHTING

Introduced by Mr. George Baldwin, hydro chairman, the hydro superintendent, Charles Copland, gave a very impressive outline of two types of lighting for Aurora's Main street, extending from the Aurora dairy to Allan's service station. In the course of his remarks Mr. Copland said he felt that Aurora should have the best possible type of lighting, subject, of course, to cost. The majority of people will commend such a sentiment.

By coincidence we were writing in our issue of January 29 on Main street, which we described as a "Street of Shadows" after the closing of the stores. The approximate cost of the new lighting system outlined by Mr. Copland was from \$6,500 to \$7,000. Some discussion was initiated but not pursued, on the question of whether the town or the hydro should bear the cost of the installation of equipment.

The matter of the cost of installation and who shall bear it will, with other contingent matters, be discussed in joint meetings of a council committee and the hydro commission.

At present Main street is a "Street of Shadows". Means should quickly be found to redeem it from its primitive condition. With the widening now in progress and a new system of lighting installed, Main street, Aurora, could be transformed into one of the best business thoroughfares in Canada.

### DIDN'T HE KNOW?

In a recent issue of the Aurora Banner, the editor urged the need for the laying of a floor in the arena to provide for, among other uses, the holding of a Trade Fair. Didn't the editor of the Aurora Banner know that the reason why no floor can be properly and safely laid down in the arena is because the condition of the structure at its north-east end is so bad that such an addition would be impossible?

The proposal for the holding of a Trade Fair originated with the Rotary club and the idea was later co-opted by the Board of Trade. Any legitimate and reasonable methods that will stimulate local business and attract visitors to town are to be commended; and a Trade Fair certainly meets such requirements. But where to hold the Trade Fair? That is the pertinent question.

In this way the arena came under consideration and the editor of the Banner got going with an editorial urging the need of the laying down of a floor. The question was brought up at a recent meeting of the Rotary club and our information is that pressure on the part of Mr. Gordon Hoffman elicited the admission during the discussion that no floor could properly and safely be laid down for the reasons given above.

We suggest that the editor of the Banner should have been aware of these facts at the time he wrote the editorial urging the need for a floor in the arena. In the absence of the facts, Banner readers could easily draw wrong conclusions and thereby misplace the blame.

We further suggest that if the editor of the Banner had been as diligent in ascertaining the real facts on the condition of the arena as he was in "blasting" us in our efforts at informing the public on the facts, he might have written a more convincing editorial.

## COUNCIL SIDELIGHTS

# "Nobody Can Kick Our Mayor Around," Says Irate Citizen: "Ghost" Hovers In Town Hall

From the point of view of prestige, the last meeting of council was critical. Four men who should have known better, voted the wrong way. Thus their prestige, as members of the chief executive body, was lost by themselves but saved by their remaining colleagues and the mayor's deciding vote.

Two of these votes that saved council's prestige were cast by new members, Councillor Mrs. Moffat and Councillor Bill Davidson. They deserve a hand from the electors. They made it clear that council, not the planning board, is still master of the situation in the municipality of Aurora. The planning board members responsible for an attempt to jettison the authority of council may now take pleasure in licking their wounds.

Dr. Boulding was in the offing when the verdict was given. He was anxious to have his former colleague and nominee, W. S. Mills, back again. Reeve Cook, Deputy-reeve Murray, Councillors Davis and King, swallowed the harsh and bitter medicine Mr. Mills administered to them in two letters sent to council. Councillors Moffat, Davidson, Jones and Murray handed the medicine back, not liking the taste of it. It was left to Mayor Rose to throw the bottle away.

**Mills' Resignation Stays**

Our readers are familiar with the circumstances in which Mr. Mills resigned from the planning board in November, 1952. He was invited to reconsider his decision. In December, 1952, he reaffirmed his previous decision to resign. In both letters he criticized the action of the mayor and council. Despite all of this he was nominated for a new three-year term on the planning board.

What amazed us was that Reeve Cook, lately promoted to the office of Warden, should not only have condoned the charges of incompetence made in the Mills' letters against the mayor and council, but should have shown such a ready willingness to put their author back on the board. What would Mr. Cook feel towards a member of the county council who charged the Warden with impropriety of conduct?

We suggest that Reeve Cook should have rallied to the support of Mayor Rose and other members of council. It would have been to his credit had he got hopping mad and repudiated with scorn any attempt to put Mr. Mills back on the board. In supporting him, Reeve Cook deserted his mayor and fellow-councillors; and in giving their support to Reeve Cook, Deputy-reeve Murray and Councillors Davis and King were guilty of similar desertion.

The four members of council who voted against the return of Mills deserve praise, inasmuch as their votes represented a defence of the authority of council. The reaction to the stand taken by Mayor Rose is best summed up by the remarks of an irate citizen who said: "Nobody can kick our mayor around."

**The Crestfallen Fear!**

Looking up the word, "crestfallen", we find it thus defined: "With drooping crest; chagrined or fortified; dejected or dispirited." Any one of these definitions, it seems to us, was applicable to Messrs Cook, Murray, Davis and King when they realized their cause was lost. All four appeared to be suffering from a "drooping crest!"

**The "Ghost"**

For most of the evening the chairman of the planning board, Dr. C. R. Boulding, was hovering around (like the ghost he mentioned at the nomination meeting in November last) in the precincts of the council chamber, but not deigning to take a chair within the chamber itself. He was, however, within hearing distance of what was going on and quickly responded to the call of Councillor King, who desired to ask him a question. The question was whether Mr. Mills was so useful that the planning board wanted him back?

The "ghost" came in from the shadows, stood just inside the doorway of the council chamber and said in a voice that all might hear: "Mr. Mills was the most valuable member of the planning board." But the "ghost" seemed startled when Councillor Davidson stood up and asked whether "Aurora needed a planning board."

The brusque question so surprised the planning board chairman that he mixed his dates, as he mixed his Shakespearean ghost at the nomination meeting and said there had been a "planning board in Aurora for the last eight or nine years," where

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# Aurora Social News

It was Father's night at the Home and School Association last Monday. The main feature of the evening was a visit from the members of the Square Dance club who organized a square dance for the members of the association.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Stocks, Stratford, visited last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Emmons were recent guests over the weekend of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Emmons, Orillia. They attended the graduation dance in Orillia on Friday evening, Jan. 30.

Mr. Floyd Corner returned this week from a business trip to Florida.

Dr. E. J. Henderson left on Sunday for a month's holiday in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Davis were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Valentine, Toronto. They attended a dance put on by the Miami Beach Association.

Rev. Howie presided at the annual meeting of the United church on Wednesday evening and Mr. Bastedo acted as secretary. The meeting opened with a short devotional period, after which reports of the various organizations took place. Every department of the church showed success. The membership for 1952 was 736. The names of Mr. Walter Johnson, Herb Routledge and Roy Fierheller were added to the board of elders to replace retirements; Harold Fringle was appointed to the board of stewards. The Women's Association served refreshments at the close of the meeting.

Rev. S. L. Boehmer, Calvary Baptist church, Toronto, preached the ordination service in the Gospel church on Tuesday evening when Rev. B. G. Wright was ordained into the ministry. Rev. Wright has been in charge of the Aurora Gospel church since April.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Oliver, Toronto, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Oliver.

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In Newmarket werd een speciaal comitee opgericht door het gemeentebestuur met als leden Mr. Robert McGuire, Mr. Edward Wrightman, Mr. Joseph Dales.

De gemeente secretaris Mr. Wesley Brooks neemt geld in ontvangst. Vorige week Vrijdagavond was er een vergadering in de Newmarket town hall waar afgevaardigden aanwezig waren van 12 verschillende verenigingen, die allen hun medewerking toezegden. De dames van de Optimists-club zijn reeds begonnen met de voorbereiding van een kunstavond welke gehouden zal worden op woensdag 18 Febr., in de town hall. Verschillende artiesten zegden hun medewerking toe.

Leerlingen van de high-school zullen een gymnastiek uitvoering geven, en willen een bedrag van \$400 — by een brengen.

Mrs. H. H. Mosey deelde de vergadering mede dat Mr. John Vickers de bekende zanger zijn medewerking heeft toegezegd. Een afgevaardigde van de home en school besturen zeide dat er een concert zal worden gegeven ten bate van de slachtoffers.

De dames van de vakgroep

hebben een speciale avond op 13 Febr. Evenals de vrouwen vereniging van de United church.

De president van de Newmarket arena Mr. William Geer deelde mede dat eenige hockey wedstrijden georganiseerd zullen worden. Met vrye toegang en collecte voor het ondersteuningsfonds.

Mr. Edward Wrightman zeide dat 2 Toronto clubs een wedstrijd zullen geven op maandag 23 Febr. evenals de Spitfire hockey club.

De secretaris van Newmarket Mr. Wesley Brooks zeide voorts dat elke bank gelden in ontvangst neemt voor het fonds.

De voorzitter van de oudstrijdersbond Mr. Paul Tobey wil gaarne het clubgebouw afstaan aan iedere organisatie die een avond wil beleggen voor geldinzameling. Het plaatselijke Roode Kruis is eveneens druk bezig.

Voorts zal in alle scholen een collecte worden gehouden, en de Lions Club zal geldbussen plaatsen in alle winkels.

Iedereen die belangstelt by deze acties wordt verzocht aanwezig te zijn op de eerstvolgende vergadering die gehouden zal worden in de town hall in Newmarket op Vrijdagavond 20 Febr., 8 uur.

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Deze week publiceren wy mededeelingen in verband met de ondersteuningsacties van de slachtoffers in Holland, Hopende dat dit gewaardeerd zal worden door Duteh - Canadians rondom Newmarket.

Wy zouden gaarne uw meening willen hooren, of u geïnteresseerd bent in mededeelingen betreffende emigratie, plaatselijke berichten enz. enz.

Schryf eens in de Hollandse taal naar het kantoor van de "Era and Express," Main Street, Newmarket.

ARMITAGE

Mr. and Mrs. Morley Cook were visiting friends in London on Wednesday.

Winners of the prizes at the euchar last Friday night were: ladies' first, Mrs. Irene West; second, Mrs. Chas. Tugwell; consolation, Miss Clarice Sharp; men's first, Les. Wright; second, Bill Porter; consolation, Walter Terry. Mr. McDonald won the draw on the chicken.

Mrs. Wm. Robinson and Mrs. Edna Reid, Aurora, were guests of Mrs. W. Cook for a few days last week.

Mrs. W. Terry spent Saturday with friends in Toronto. Mr. and Mrs. D. Nigh, Mr. and Mrs. M. Cook and family and Mr. and Mrs. H. Preston motored to Hamilton on Sunday. The Prestons plan a short stay with Mrs. Preston's sisters in Hamilton and Niagara Falls before returning to the Nighs.

Miss L. Dyke, Aurora, has been visiting Mrs. Jno. Smith.

Miss Margie Cook and Misses Lynn and Susan Reid attended the skating party Saturday afternoon given by their Sunday school teacher, Mrs. Patrick, followed by a supper at the latter's home in Aurora.

Mr. Jno. Wallbuton was calling on friends in the community on Saturday.

Mrs. W. Watts is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Alf. Lewis and family attended the hobby show in Toronto on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Reid were in Toronto on Sunday where Mrs. Reid's father is a patient in hospital. We hope he is soon able to be home again. Mrs. Chas. Lewis is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Shackleton, in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Lewis, Toronto, spent Sunday at the homestead.

Mr. Jack Adams, Toronto was home for the weekend.

The next dance sponsored by the community club will be held at Bluebird Inn on Friday night, Feb. 20.

QUEENSVILLE

Mr. J. W. Everingham, Stoughton, Sask., has been visiting his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Don MacMillan, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Burkholder, Sr., have left to spend a month with Mr. Burkholder's sister, Mrs. Brudenburg, Melbourne, Florida.

Misses Draper and MacDonald, student teachers at Queensville school, are boarding this week with Mrs. A. J. Milne.

Television is gaining in popularity. Several sets have been installed in the village just recently.

We extend congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cowleson, of 185 Belsize Ave., Toronto, who are celebrating their 80th wedding anniversary on Sunday, Feb. 15. Mr. and Mrs. Cowleson were residents here for many years.

The ladies' trio from Central Baptist seminary, Toronto, will provide special singing at Queensville Baptist church on Sunday night, Feb. 15, at 7.30 p.m.

The Evening Auxiliary will meet Tuesday night, Feb. 17, at the home of Mrs. Ronald Bennett. The devotional service will be conducted by Mrs. J.

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Miss Audrey Sedore was a guest on Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Corner and Peter Pfefferlaw.

ANSNORVELD

Mr. and Mrs. G. Marits left for a three week visit to Mr. Jack Marits' in B. C. While there they hope to attend the wedding of Miss Elfreida Marits on Feb. 20.

Rev. A. W. Hoogstrate, Holland, Mich., conducted the services at the Christian Reformed church on Sunday.

The Netherlands Flood Relief is well under way. If any canvasser should miss you, contributions can be sent to Mrs. E. Biemold, R. R. 2, Newmarket, who is treasurer of the fund.

The community extends its sympathy to Mr. Chris Rydewater in the loss of relatives in the Netherlands.

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## King City And District

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### Speaks to Lions

The second in a series of "Know Your Member's Occupation" was conducted at King City Lions' supper meeting when Dr. H. J. Barrie, pathologist at the Banting Institute, Toronto, described research work, to discover what, why and how diseases are causing death. All Saints' W. A. catered the dinner.

At a previous Lions' meeting, Norman Garioch, C.B.C. farm commentator, was guest speaker on farmers' night, when 45 attended.

### Mrs. Elias Bice Is President

The new president of King City Lionesses' auxiliary is Mrs. Elias Bice and the secretary-treasurer is Mrs. Leonard Robb. Replacing Mrs. Bice as second vice-president is Mrs. Hugh Lockhart. Mrs. Bert Wood continues as first vice-president. The executive committee is Mrs. Ivel Wood, Mrs. Fred Judges, Mrs. Joe McGrath and Mrs. W. Derrick. Color bearers are Mrs. Fleet and Mrs. Campbell. Installation of officers is likely to be held at the March meeting of the auxiliary.

### Church Groups Busy

Five persons from Laskay United church attended the pageant entitled "Triumphs of Faith", part of the exposition in Toronto Centre Presbytery at Leaside high school on Tuesday evening. Others from Teston were there on Wednesday night and a group from the King City church will be there tonight (Thursday). The pageant is a dramatic presentation with 200 participants, depicting history, growth and present day activities of the church.

On Saturday morning, Feb. 14, a bus load of children from these churches will go to Deer Park church, Toronto, to see the pictorial exhibit in connection with the exposition.

On Saturday and Sunday, Feb. 14 and 15, Rev. M. R. Jenkinson will be at Hockley Valley in connection with a youth rally, when he will be the speaker on three occasions. With his wife, he will leave on Friday to stay at the Highlands Lodge.

On Friday, Feb. 20, Mr. Jenkinson will speak at the East York youth rally in Danforth United church.

On Sunday, Feb. 15, Mr. Gordon Tetley of King City will conduct the morning service at the Teston church, during the minister's absence.

### Fire-side Gathering

After the evening service at

King City United church, the annual monthly fireside gathering of the congregation and friends will be held in the Sunday school room, Sunday, Feb. 15, when a film on missions across Canada will be shown. Refreshments will be arranged by the ladies' groups of the church.

At King United church, Feb. 13, afternoon and evening, the annual convention of North York Temperance Federation will take place.

### St. Valentine's Party

On Saturday evening, Feb. 14, Laskay W. I. will hold family night in the form of a St. Valentine's social for the community in Laskay hall. A committee is preparing a special program for adults and children to enjoy. Refreshments will be served.

### Anglican W. A. Installed

For the first meeting of the New Year, the W. A. of All Saints' Anglican church combined a hot noon luncheon, a speaker's address and installation of officers, with annual reports and new business. Miss Greta Clark, missionary in China for 30 years, gave inspirational thoughts.

Rev. D. C. H. Michell conducted an impressive installation ceremony with Mrs. Alfred Gillham taking the president's vows; Mrs. Fred Monson, vice-pres.; Mrs. Dan Rawlings, sec.; Mrs. Harry Cunningham, treas.; Mrs. Leonard Robb, Dorcas; Mrs. Frank Gambrell, Living Message; Mrs. H. H. Alexander, educational secretary; Mrs. W. J. Hiltz and Mrs. Harry Edwards, rector's nominees.

### Day of Prayer

Observance of the Women's Day of Prayer will be held at King United church on Friday afternoon at 2.30, on Feb. 20, when six congregations will participate, Presbyterian, Baptist, Anglican and United churches at King, Temperanceville United and St. John's Anglican at Oak Ridges. The gathering is being arranged by the W.M.S. and W. A. of Eversley Presbyterian church, with Mrs. T. L. Williams as the key woman. Leaders of women's groups in the six churches will preside. Mrs. W. E. Smalley will be the speaker. Women's groups of the sixth line, Presbyterian and United churches, will meet at Laskay United church.

### Cancer Society

The sewing group in the Aurora United United for the Canadian Cancer Society will meet at the United church, on Thurs-

day afternoon, Feb. 19, at 2 o'clock. Those of King district who are interested in making dressings are urged to give a couple of hours of their time for this necessary work and will be heartily welcomed by Mrs. J. P. Crysdale. At Laskay and Oak Ridges, sewing groups have been organized and at King City some workers are meeting on Wednesday evening, Feb. 18. There are never-ending calls for cancer dressings.

### Celebrated 80th Birthday

A family gathering was held for Mrs. Herman McBride on Sunday, to conclude her 80th birthday celebrations, Feb. 3. Present were her daughter, Hazel and husband, Bill Thomson and son Billie, Mrs. Thomson, Sr., all of Toronto and Mrs. Albert Duncan, Langstaff. She was presented with two potted plants by the Thomson family, hand towels, and an angel food birthday cake.

### Mechanic Burned

Ivel Wood, co-owner of Fleetwood Motors, received third degree burns to his left hand while working with an acetylene torch last Friday afternoon. The welder exploded twice in succession, blowing off the cap and causing flames to mount to the ceiling of the garage. Mr. Wood, the mechanic said he was about to shut off the machine as it exploded. It was believed imperfect fittings caused the accident. The welder was destroyed.

When flames rose, the Aurora fire department was summoned but the fire was under control by the time it arrived. The welder was hauled out doors as soon as possible. Only the window sill was scorched as Arthur Fleet had beaten out the fire with a rag.

Mr. Wood will be unable to use his hand for four weeks and is suffering a great deal of pain from the deep burns which came on the back of his hand. He was immediately rushed to the office of Dr. J. L. Urquhart, Aurora, by Lorne Ferguson, one of the garage helpers.

### Will Remodel Nest

At Del Paton's place, in King City, already the sparrows are thinking of remodelling last year's nest at the peak of the garage roof. One was on hand last Sunday, looking things over, feeding on the grass stalks and carrying them away in his beak. With an early mild spell, they get a fairly good start at relining and reinforcing the old habitat.

The sparrows did the same thing last year and the year before that, apparently conserving housing problems, on an equitable basis of time and effort.

Come a cold spell, the birds will seek warmer shelter in the station swamp and return to their work in better weather. The Patons have a feeding station and this year they have seen fewer starlings than before but numbers of blue jays and cardinals.

Lucky for the birds, they do not have to conform to town-ship building or land use by-laws, nor are building materials any more costly. They do meet death but they never have to pay taxes, nor are their homes restricted to certain areas. Transportation costs are nil and food is to be had for the seeking.

### Soloist Was TV Artist

When Mrs. Joyce Wiltshire, soprano soloist with the Ontario Hydro choir which sang in King City last Friday, appeared on a Toronto television program on Saturday evening, it was a surprise to see the artist in person and those who saw and heard her on the TV program were impressed with her voice and poise.

### King Branch Federation Hears Norm Garioch

The first public meeting of the King branch of the Federation of Agriculture in the New Year was held at Schomberg town hall last Wednesday, Feb. 4, with 200 attending. It was convened by Wilfred Aitchison.

Clarence McGuire, a director of the Simcoe County Branch was chairman in the absence of president Frank Beatty. Mr. McGuire has a wide connection with federation work and his experience proved helpful in the question and answer forum.

A sound film on conservation was provided by Cecil Maynard, Schomberg. The speaker of the evening was Norman Garioch, farm commentator of the C.B.C.

## Maj. Lex Mackenzie Speaker At King Legion Installation

Comrade Walker accepted his vows as president of King Legion branch 438, when the installation ceremonies were conducted for officials by zone commander, Harold Eaton, Newmarket, on Wednesday night, Feb. 4, in the partly completed club house on Dew St. The occasion gave everyone an opportunity to see the substantial construction of the small building for activities of both legion and auxiliary.

Other officers for the coming year are Jack Jones, first Vice Pres.; William Murray, second Vice Pres.; Joseph McGrath, the retiring president, secretary-treasurer; Gordon Smith, Sergeant-at-arms; Fred Judges, Hugh Lockhart and A. E. Campbell, executive committee.

Comrade Eaton spoke encouragingly of the effort of King legion in providing the start of what will become a commendable building for activities. "You get a hall through enthusiasm, not by skill alone," he stated.

The guest speaker, Major Lex MacKenzie, M.P.P., Woodbridge,

whose subject was "compiling everyday live stock, fruit, vegetable and egg market quotations" for listeners. He also described interesting behind-the-scenes facts about the Craig family broadcast.

Visitors included several from Simcoe County and Barrie. W. G. Buchanan, York County Federation of Agriculture secretary was also present. Lunch was served to conclude the meeting.

extended greetings to the new president, Bob Walker. He congratulated the branch in establishing the beginnings of a legion building and the possession of the site of land. "You have, in a growing community at King, the foundation of a wonderful branch and the prospect of largely increased membership."

Maj. MacKenzie had foregone the York County Military Night, that evening, to pay a visit to the community, where memories of former days and associations remain clearly in his mind. He spoke of his boyhood days when, with his father, he would herd cattle and sheep from the Burns farm at Kinghorn to Woodbridge, stopping for a night's rest at Teston. He recalled the first North York Veterans' Association, formed after the first war, in which he fought and was wounded. He also recalled how the veterans would attend the big field day at the Pellat estate.

Welcoming the visitors, some of whom were representatives from zone branches, president Walker and his branch were hosts to the gathering, and with the ladies' auxiliary, served a substantial lunch. Among the guests, were village trustee R. D. McLeod and his wife. The president points out that although the club house is far from finished, "it is all paid for to date". The building has cost \$1,500 and all of that amount is required to pay for the completion.

## Impressive Ontario Hydro Choir Sponsored By King City Lions

The choral concert, presented by the Ontario Hydro Singers, 38 voices, won applause by an appreciative audience in King last Thursday night at the United church. The choir was sponsored by King City Lions club and it was the first effort of this type by the new club.

The Hydro club choir was directed by an English conductor, John Boorman, with piano accompaniments by Raye Heard, organist and choir director of Oak United church, Toronto.

The group, Linden Lee, Morning and Land of Hope and Glory, brought out contrasts. "Where'er You Walk" had an effective sustained cadence. The women's quartette sang "Bird Songs at Eventide" and "Rose in the Bud". The male quartet sang "Passing By" and "I Pass By Your Window", and the women's chorus, "Christopher Robin is Saying His Prayers" and Brahms "Lullaby", made a noticeable impression on the audience.

The finale, by the choir, in "Evening Prayer" (from Hansel and Gretel) and "The Long Day Closes", demonstrated the full effect of blended voices in thoughtful interpretation.

Mrs. Joyce Wiltshire, English soloist, sang "My Beloved Daddy" and "Because". Mr. Ed. Valiant, the bass soloist, was well received.

Mr. Ivan Specht, a member of the Lions club, gave a concert rendition of classical instrumental selections, appearing twice on the program. He was given hearty applause for an exhibition of his musical ability.

J. Pullin was master of ceremonies for the choir and explained that the choir had had but nine months' training under Mr. Boorman, and is ready for a special Coronation concert, to be held during the last week in May.

Lion President John Dew introduced the singers to the audience and at the close of the concert Lion Gordon Orr thanked the singers for their appearance at King City.

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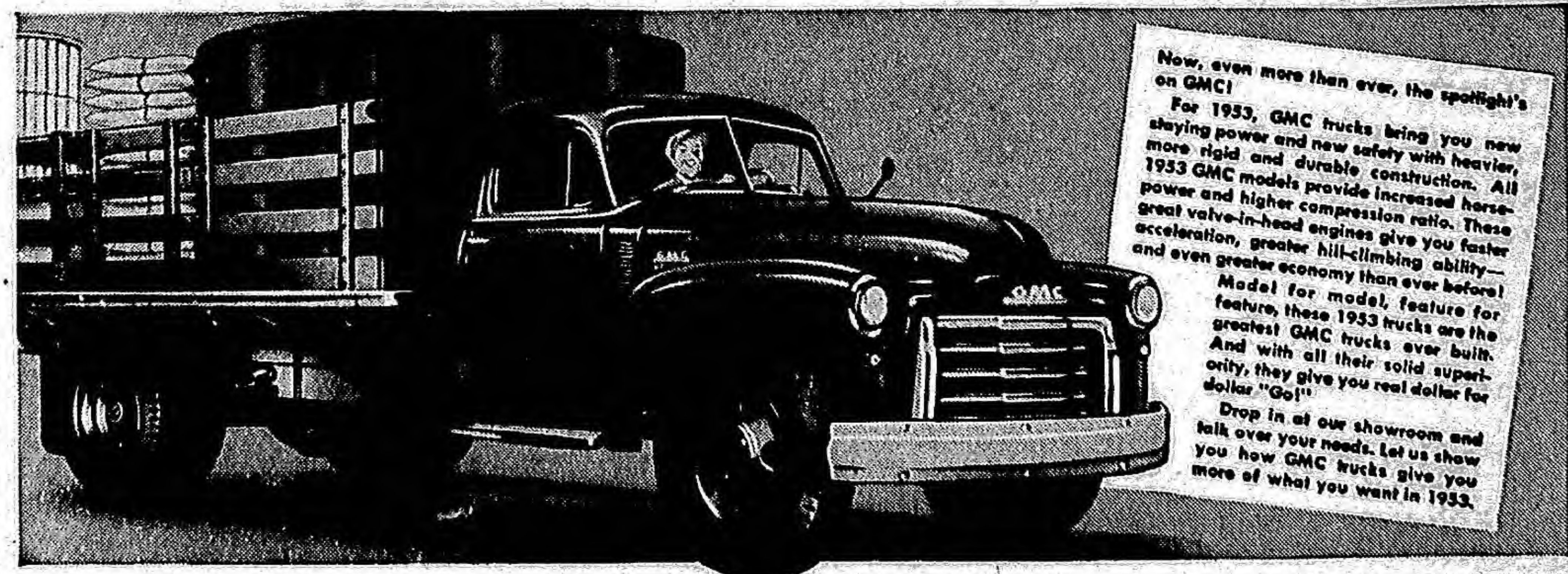
#### In Hospital

Norman Egan, Laskay, was in St. Joseph's hospital for a week being treated for glandular trouble in his leg that caused a rash, spreading to both limbs. He came home last weekend and returned to work on Monday. Charlie Etheridge was also in Brantford, being treated for a chemical infection in a finger that caused blood poisoning. He was in Brantford hospital for six days.

#### Presbytery Annual

A request was extended to Mrs. Austin Rumble, past president of the United church W.A. to accept the chair as literature secretary of Toronto Centre Presbytery for the coming year, when the annual presbytery meeting was held in St. Clair Ave. United church on Jan. 29. Although Mrs. Rumble declined the position, she recognized the complimentary gesture to her auxiliary, Mrs. George Harvey, W.A. president, and Mrs. Irving Scott also attended the meeting.

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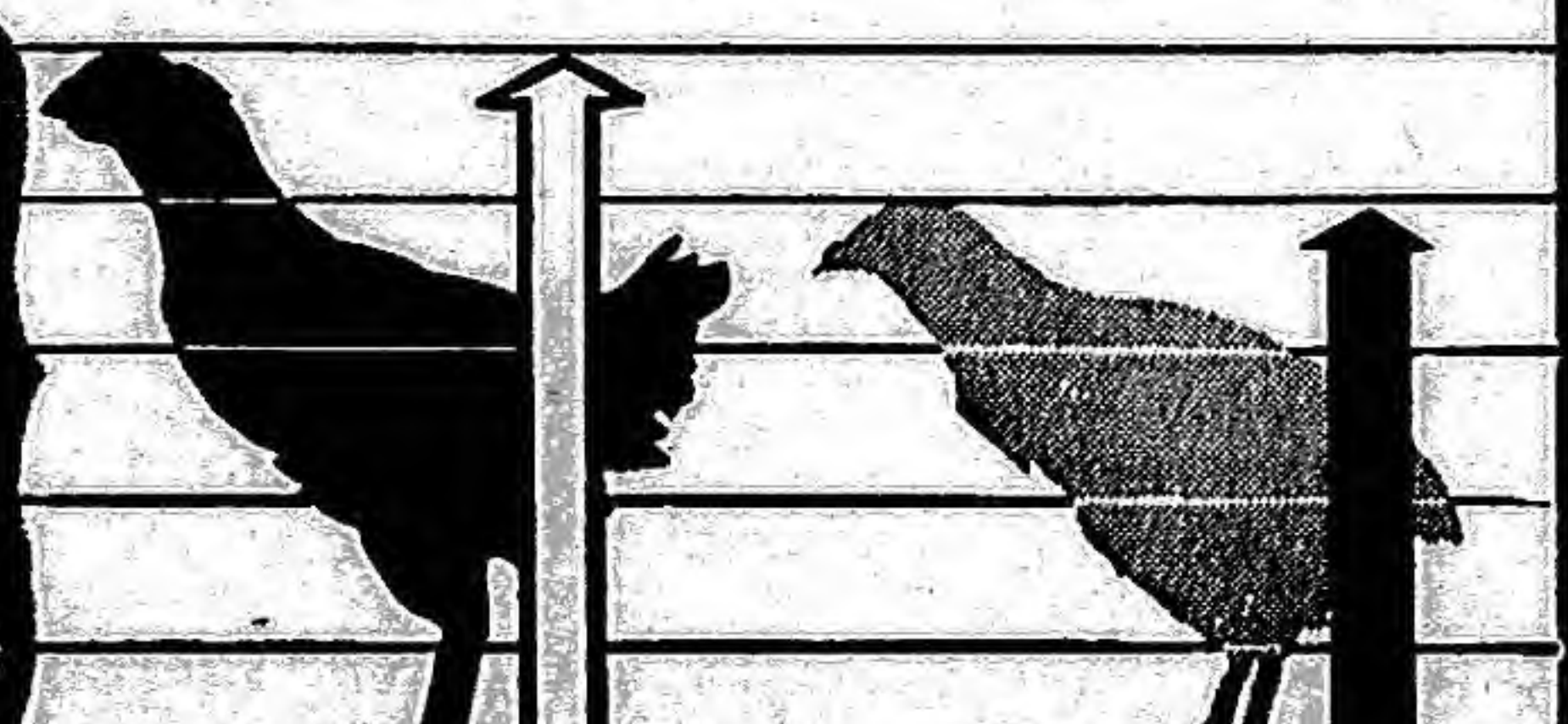
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